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MDOT says new passing lane on Merrifield Hill will improve safety along Rt. 26

But project is creating its own short-term safety concerns

By ALISON ALOISIO

Traveling Merrifield Hill in Bryant Pond is more frustrating than usual this summer, thanks to the Route 26 reconstruction project that recently got underway.

"The hill will be closed, one lane or the other, for the next six weeks," said Ray Gallant, the supervisor for T. Buck Construction, the Auburn company doing the work.

But project engineers hope that in the long run, drivers will find the improvements ease the aggravation of following tractor-trailers on the road.

Currently, Route 26 south of

Bethel provides few good opportunities for passing the big rigs.

The one-mile, \$1.9 million project includes rebuilding the road and adding an uphill passing lane on the south-bound side.

Heath Cowan, project engineer for the Maine Department of Transportation, said the passing lane is more than just a convenience for drivers following slow trucks up the steep hill.

"It's a safe place to pass. If there's a queue of cars behind a truck and they know [the

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G'wood moves forward on park; ponders problems at town beach

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Greenwood took an important step Tuesday toward acquiring a town park, but at the same time officials acknowledged there are some problems at another nearby town-owned recreational facility, the public beach.

At their regular meeting Tuesday evening, town selectmen signed a purchase-and-sales agreement for 84 acres of land on South Pond.

In February of last year, long-term resident Maggie

Ring, who lives near the parcel, offered it to the town for \$200 an acre, well below market value — on the condition that the town use it for a public park, with hiking trails and other limited facilities.

The land is located across the Greenwood Road from the lake, 1.4 miles south of Howe Hill Road. It has 1,500 feet of frontage on the road, and from there rises up Peaked Mountain to an altitude of approxi-

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NATURE'S SPEAR—A strong thunderstorm last week delivered a bolt of lightning that blew apart this pine tree on Ernest Angevine's tree lot on the North Road. The electric charge rammed one piece of the trunk into the ground. "After a storm we usually go looking [for trees that have been struck]," said Angevine. "My son-in-law found this one." Angevine said in the years he has owned the tree lot, located near the Androscoggin River, he has had eight to 10 trees struck. But none of them suffered the destruction this one did. "Usually we can salvage some of the tree. But there's nothing to salvage here, unless I want to make toothpicks," he said. The tree split into several long pieces that were tossed up to 30 feet away. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

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On their knees for their church



In preparation for last Saturday's annual Strawberry Festival, 17 members of the Locke Mills Union Church Friday picked 262 quarts at Barton's in Albany. Here, Eileen Dunham gathers her share of berries. Later that day, church members baked pies to sell at the festival. More photos, page 4. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

Locke Mills church members 'grow' their strawberry festival

By ALISON ALOISIO

Their success in increasing profits each year is an accomplishment any small business would admire.

But the 30 members of the Locke Mills Union Church — many of them retirees — are not out for personal gain. They're simply out to "grow" their annual Strawberry Festival to help support the church.

Their most recent effort, which took place over three days last week, netted \$1,777. That's double the profit of 10 years ago.

The festival, established 25 years ago, takes place on the Saturday morning before the Fourth of July.

The church sells pies and other baked goods, and members also serve a breakfast of Belgian waffles topped with strawberries and whipped cream.

"We are very fortunate to have a really good group of

'A church is a business these days and needs money to survive. An active church is one who has a lot of functions to earn the money, as in this day not many can tithe.'

JOYCE HATHAWAY

people who know we need to work together to keep the church alive," said Joyce Hathaway, the lead coordinator for the festival. "A church is a business these days and needs money to survive. An active church is one who has a lot of functions to earn the money, as in this day not many can tithe."

450 quarts of berries
The event is no small undertaking. First, there are nearly 450 quarts of strawberries to pick.

Last Thursday at 7 a.m. — before the heat of the day arrived — 19 pickers turned out at Barton's Farm in Albany and picked 179 quarts in 45 minutes.

In the afternoon, volunteers hulled 55 quarts of berries for sauce, to be made Saturday morning.

On Friday morning, 17 turned out at Barton's and picked 262 quarts of berries in an hour.

In the afternoon, two dozen members baked pies and other goodies.

The sale and breakfast got underway Saturday morning at 7 a.m. at the church.

Until four years ago, the menu called for strawberry shortcake served on a fresh

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Norway man donates regimental Civil War flag fragment to state museum

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A remnant of a Maine infantry regiment's Civil War battle flag that a soldier safeguarded at Gettysburg will be turned over today to the Maine State Museum.

Pvt. Isaac Monk of Turner, whose unit faced imminent capture after being surrounded by Confederates on July 1, 1863, had grabbed the silken fragment as the 16th Maine

tore up its cherished flags to keep them from falling into enemy hands.

Now, 142 years later, Monk's great-grandson, Neil Brown of Norway, is donating the flag fragment to the museum's collection.

Brown, who brought the fragment to his home after the recent death of his widowed mother, said the museum has the expertise to care for it and

the resources to display it so it can be shared with the people of Maine.

The remnant hung on his family's living-room hall during his boyhood, Brown recalled. He decided even while his mother was alive that it should eventually go to the state museum, a suggestion first made by his son.

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Sales tax now due on 'casual' lodging rentals

By MICHAEL DANIELS

A new state law that took effect July 1 requires owners who privately rent out lodgings to begin collecting the same 7 percent sales tax already being collected by lodging businesses and rental agencies.

To some owners of licensed lodging businesses, the new law represents a small step forward in their battle to force unlicensed lodgings to play by the same rules as their licensed counterparts.

Those rules include not only collecting taxes, but also complying with a variety of plumbing, fire safety, health regulations.

"This is a great start," said Steve Wight of Newry, owner of the Sunday River Inn in Newry.

'I personally don't see how they're going to enforce it. They don't even have a clue who those people are.'

KATHY THRALL

Owner, the Inn at the Rostay

Unlicensed lodgings are typically privately owned condominiums and vacation homes that are rented out on a regular basis — often, these days, by means of the Internet.

Owners of licensed lodgings have long complained about what they see as the inherent unfairness having to compete with unlicensed competitors, whose costs are lowered by the fact that they do not have to comply with the same regulations.

"I know I'm losing money because of them," Kathy Thrall, owner of the Inn at the Rostay, told the Bethel selectmen last July.

Thrall was one of a group of licensed lodgings owners who approached the selectmen, asking them to consider whether it would be appropriate for the town to formulate its own regulations over unlicensed establishments.

But the following month a score of local real estate agents and property owners also turned up at a selectmen's meeting — to complain that simply the prospect of any further regulations was bad for their own businesses.

Mary Jo Kennett of Kennett Realty argued that Bethel's housing market could be crippled by the even the perception that the town was placing restrictions on owners' ability to earn rental income on their properties.

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Letters

SALES TAX ON CASUAL RENTALS

To the Editor:

This notice was sent to all local realtors by the Maine Association of Realtors and may be of interest to your readers who rent their properties on their own for short periods of time. There has not been a lot of publicity on this, yet it is effective July 1:

Casual Rentals of Living Quarters Subject to 7 percent Sales Tax: Effective July 1, 2005, the Maine Revenue Service (MRS) requires that "a person who owns a house, cottage, condominium unit, vacation home, camp or any other place kept, used, maintained, advertised or held out to the public as a place where living quarters are offered for rent to transient guests or tenants is required to register with the MRS and collect and remit sales tax on such rentals at the rate of 7 percent beginning July 1, 2005. A person does not need to register nor collect tax if total rentals are for fewer than 15 days each calendar year. Previous to this change in the law, these rentals were regarded as casual sales if the person only rented one property. If the person had placed that property in the hands of a management company or realtor or if the person had owned and operated more than one property, that person should have been collecting the 7 percent tax. Rentals in the following categories are not subject to the tax: rental to a sales tax exempt organization (governmental agencies or holders of a Maine permanent exemption certificate), continuous rental to a person for more than 28 days when it is the person's primary residence, continuous rental to a person for more than 28 days when the person is residing away from that person's primary residence (their home) due to employment or education (statement required from educational institution or employer)." For more information, see Sales Tax Instructional Bulletin 32 at www.maine.gov/revenue/salesuse/Bull32.pdf.

If anyone needs additional information, they may find the bulletin and phone numbers at the website listed in the notice above or if you still have questions you may give me a call at my office, Sessions & Associates, CPAs, PA, 824-7096 or Apple Tree Realty, 824-7244.

Bonita M. Sessions, CPA
Bethel.

NEW ART SHOW WILL BE ANNUAL

To the Editor:

The success of the "Shy, Novice & Closeted Art Show" prompts it to become an annual celebration of art as does the annual Bethel Art Fair on the common. To the artists who participated, thank you. Throughout the day, each of you received numerous compliments both for your works and for your courage.

Gina Douglass, Ellie Cramton, Zoe Newton, Karen Swanson, Kathy Berberian, Peter Haines, Wendy Green, Dyana Dyke, Rijah Newell, Michael Rizo, Bob McCartney, Leslie Baumgartel, Vickie Littlebird, Pat Carter, Chelsea DeRoehn, Valerie DeRoehn, Sara Crall and the late Abigale Gill Hutchins (Tim's grandmother).

Bethel's historic roots are steeped in it being a "health-reviving" community. Access and opportunity to experience "The Arts" both promotes and supports health-giving qualities. Dance recitals, art fairs, performances, the community band, galleries, historic events, walking paths, fine foods, Androscoggin River, treks to the flower gardens tended to in our street medians. All of this and more, surrounded by nature's beauty, are essential components of a healthy community.

Shy, novice and closeted artists, please mark your calendars to participate in next year's show.

Thanks for partaking in this endeavor.

Janet Willie
Bethel

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Project

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SLOW GOING FOR NOW, BUT BETTER DOWN THE ROAD—As an excavator moves dirt at the site of the Merrifield Hill road reconstruction project in Woodstock, traffic works its way down the hill in the one lane that is open. Only one lane is expected to be open for the next six weeks. As part of the project, a new passing lane will be added on the southbound lane. The additional open space created for the new lane will also aid in melting snow on the road in winter, engineers said.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

a truck and they know [the passing lane] is coming up, they won't take a chance passing down the road, where they shouldn't."

Don't pass now

But while the summer's work may produce long-term safety benefits, it is also producing its own temporary safety hazards — especially drivers passing where they shouldn't as they approach the project site.

There's a particular problem approaching the top of the hill from the south.

Bob Pelletier, MDOT's resident engineer, said northbound drivers should heed the signs warning of the upcoming work and not try to pass.

The speed limit approaching from the south has been dropped to 45 mph from the usual 55.

Travel through the work area itself is restricted to one lane, with northbound

and southbound traffic taking turns. The work day runs from 6:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Gallant said the average wait for each lane is about five minutes, but can be as long as 10 on occasion, depending on the work of the day.

In about three weeks, the crew will take on a particular challenge — replacing a box culvert at the foot of the hill.

And in mid-August, excavation will begin to remove the existing pavement. That will provide a challenge for tractor-trailer drivers, who will have to climb the steep hill on gravel, Pelletier said.

"It will be a big impact on traffic when we start taking apart the road," he said.

Wetland issues

The project also calls for the creation of a new stream channel that will cross under the road twice, Pelletier said.

It is designed to gather runoff and water from nearby wet

areas, but will not replace regular ditching that follows the road shoulder, he said.

At the top of the hill, a wetland area will be filled in to make way for the passing lane, he said.

The lane will taper back to a single lane between the intersection of Route 232 and the Dudley Road.

Pelletier also said that as ditching work progresses at the bottom of the hill next to a small pond, the crew will be on the watch for any leftover oil contamination from a truck spill that took place nearly 10 years ago.

If they find contamination, he said, environmental consultants will be called in to decide how to deal with it.

But, said Pelletier, he does not expect to find any major contamination.

The road project is scheduled to be completed by Nov. 15.

Rentals

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the issue, she said were "frightening."

The selectmen responded by assuring the audience they were not contemplating an ordinance on unlicensed rentals, but they did want to look further into the issue.

A committee was then formed, and in December an informational document was presented that simply listed all the various state and local regulations that applied to licensed and unlicensed lodgings.

At the local level, the matter ended there; but the supporters of stricter regulation for unlicensed lodgings vowed to battle on at the state level.

They had slightly more luck there.

At their urging, state Sen. Bruce Bryant (D-Dixfield) introduced a bill that would require all properties that are rented for less than a month to be licensed by their municipality.

But the bill attracted little support, and eventually died. Legislators, said Thrall, "just didn't want to open up that can of worms."

But while they were not interested in the worms, they could certainly smell the money — and that forced them to at least acknowledge the reality of unlicensed lodgings.

"I think that the state at

least did acknowledge there's a problem, and they see there is revenue to be had," Thrall said.

"They definitely wanted to get a piece of that revenue. ... They took the part that was helpful to them, but not that's going to help anybody in the legitimate lodging business."

Enforcement uncertain

And Thrall is skeptical the state will collect as much as it projects (\$8 million annually, to be added to the \$38 million already generated by the lodging tax).

"I personally don't see how they're going to enforce it," she said. "They don't even have a clue who those people are."

Greg Dugal, executive director of the Maine Innkeepers Association is also skeptical.

"I don't believe for a minute they're going to collect all the money they say they will," he said, "because somebody has to see that [unlicensed owners] all do what they say are supposed to do. A lot of them aren't licensed, and they're supposed to be licensed, but nobody enforces that," he said. "And those folks who are not licensed are not going to pay that tax."

Peter Beaulieu, director for the Maine Revenue Service's Division of Sales, Fuel and

Special Taxes, said his department's initial emphasis would be on education and spreading the word about the new tax, "but once we're into it a few months I believe our Enforcement Division will be out there trying to identify (unlicensed owners) and get them on the range."

A matter of fairness

Fran Head, owner of Maine Street Realty, was one of those at the August selectmen's meeting who opposed further regulation of unlicensed lodgings.

She said Tuesday that she felt the new tax could have a dampening effect on real estate sales in the area, but it was still a good idea from the point of view of fairness.

And, she said, it could be good for rental businesses such as hers.

Collecting and turning in the lodging taxes can be a nuisance for a private owner, she said, but when property is rented through an agency, "we take care of all that for them."

(For more details on the new law, see the letter to the editor on this page from Bonita Sessions of Apple Tree Realty. For a peek into the privately owned vacation home market for our area, see the "Bethel — Sunday River Ski Area" listing at CyberRentals.com.)

Flag

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Adam Brown, a Civil War buff.

"It means more to have people see it than to keep it in the family or sell it to a private collector," Adam Brown said. "Let the professionals have it. And let the people share it."

Selling the remnant "wasn't even an option," the younger Brown said, because asking money for something of such value "would cheapen it."

Remnants of regimental flags, like the surviving flags handed down by other Civil War regiments, are "almost like tangible sacred reminders of that time in our history," said Earle Shettleworth, Maine's state historian.

Monk was captured at Gettysburg the day he grabbed

the fragment.

He was paroled, although it is not clear if he was released right away or held prisoner for a time.

The fragment, protected under a glass cover in a dark wooden frame, is accompanied by a four-line note, written in an elegant script with occasional misspellings.

The note describes the fragment as: "A Peace of the old Sixteenth Maine Regiment flag torn up at Gettysburg after they were taken Prisoners July first Eighteen hundred Sixty three." It is signed "I.J. Monk."

The image of the soldiers of the 16th Maine deliberately destroying their beloved banners in the name of honor "is

still transcendent" more than 140 years later, Shettleworth said.

"That's probably as dramatic as it becomes," he said, and it "underscores the concept that existed in the military lore of the 19th century that you do not allow the flag to fall," either to the ground or to the enemy.

The museum, which has two 16th Maine flag fragments in its collection, is "thrilled" to be getting a third, said Laurie LaBar, its curator of historic collections.

Such fragments, according to historians, are highly valued because of the high drama surrounding them and the fact that no one knows how many of them still exist.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson

10 years ago: A fire of unknown origin destroyed the abandoned Buck Farm on Swan's Hill in Middle Intervale.

The Bethel Comprehensive Plan Committee was preparing to mail out a town-wide survey as the first step toward a revision of the town's 1986 plan.

CPS fifth-grade teacher Linda Kuzyk was a state winner in the 1995 Technology & Learning Teacher of the Year program.

Births: Michaela Kathleen Ring, Cameron Alfred Hastings.

Deaths: William Winfield Cutting, Eino I. Pike, Priscilla M. Millett, Leroy E. Barker.

20 years ago: The Town of Bethel's new \$83,000 Galion grader was delivered, and its 1958 Caterpillar was sent to the dealer in trade.

Some 30 canoeists took part in the sixth annual Androscoggin River Canoe Race from Bethel to Rumford Center.

Joe Perham entertained youngsters and their parents at the Bethel Library.

Deaths: Stella M. Moore, Jeannette I. Carini, Robert A. Graham.

30 years ago: The Oxford County Extension Service sponsored a Nutrition Day Camp at the R.C. Foster School in Newry.

Jackson-Silver Post of Locke Mills was a 3-0 winner over Roderick Crosby Post of Farmington in Zone Three American Legion junior baseball.

Bethel Town records were in the process of being micro-filmed.

Birth: Farah Lee Mitchell.

Deaths: Delma W. Strout, Florence Hamlin.

40 years ago: Elsie Davis retired as first assistant librarian at the Bethel Library; she was replaced by Faye Taylor.

The crew of local contractor George Olson had begun remodeling work at the Bethel Post Office.

Three large and unsafe elm trees were taken down on the Ethel Bisbee School grounds.

Births: Martin Aaron White, Dana Leigh Mack, Marjorie Louise Fales.

Deaths: Lawrence E. Chandler, Sr., Oliva Girouard, Perry W. Judkins.

50 years ago: Col. James D. Alger was beginning an assignment in the office of the Army Assistant Chief of Staff G-1 at the Pentagon.

Swimming classes at Songo commenced with 151 children from Bethel, West Bethel, and Locke Mills enrolled.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill moved into the Avery Angeline place on Paradise Street which they had recently purchased.

Birth: Nancy Elaine Scribner.

Deaths: Mrs. Linnie A. Ring, Mrs. Tena M. Thurston, Clarence W. Buck.

60 years ago: L.E. Davis was erecting a new home on the site of the one destroyed by fire the year before.

Ceillings on employment were discontinued in the Rumford area.

Death: Mrs. Theodore Gunn.

70 years ago: Warren Blake began work on a cellar for a house on Tyler Street.

Hunt's Circus presented a pleasing performance in Bethel.

Fifty children were attending the Daily Vacation School.

Deaths: Miss Elvira Holt, Mrs. Eva B. Hastings, John C. Wood.

80 years ago: A special group meeting of ministers of the Methodist Church from this section of the state was held at the Methodist Church.

The Fire Department was called for the first time in a year. The blaze was at the N.S. Stowell Co. mill and was quickly extinguished.

The "night before" the Fourth was the noisiest for some years.

Deaths: Kenneth L. Swallow, Mrs. Deborah Swan, Mrs. Lauretta M. Valentine.

100 years ago: Fourth of July pranksters broke three large lights at E.C. Rowe's store (now Opera House condos).

Several Bethel gardeners had green peas on the 4th of July.

Death: Elbridge Merrill.

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Briefly

Summer Bandstand Concerts

BETHEL — This summer's Bethel Bandstand Concerts will kick off Sunday, July 10 at 4 p.m. with Boréal Tordu, an original blend of Acadian folk, Cajun swing, maritime ballads, crooked fiddle tunes and foot-stomping French dance music. Boréal Tordu began when fiddler Steve Muise and singer Robert Sylvain discovered a mutual interest in the music of their shared French-American heritage. While signs of their parents' French culture can still be found in Maine, it was almost lost to their generation after years of forced assimilation. More than a revival, their music represents a continuation of Franco-Mainiac musical traditions passed down from the Acadians, the Quebecois, and the unique French-speaking people of the Republic of Madawaska and mill towns all over New England. Upcoming concerts will feature the Denny Breaux Trio, an eclectic mix of rock to rockabilly on July 24, the Celtic tunes of the duo Castlebay on Aug. 21 and the acoustic folk music of Anni Clark on Aug. 28. The Bethel Bandstand Concerts are sponsored by Paula Gillies and Chris Otten, and organized by the Mahoosuc Arts Council. All concerts begin at 4 p.m. and run 60 to 90 minutes. They are free to the public. The rain site is Bingham Auditorium on Church Street at Gould Academy.

Adult college-planning workshop

SOUTH PARIS — Adults considering college are invited to participate in a free college-planning workshop, "The Essentials of College Planning" at the South Paris Career Center, sponsored by the Maine Educational Opportunity Center (MEOC). Unlike student financial aid programs that help students overcome financial barriers to higher education, the Maine Educational Opportunity Center has been providing support services to help students from low-income and working families successfully enter college since 1991. "This program works because it is student-centered, performance-based, and non-bureaucratic," states Dr. Arnold Mitchem, president of the Council for Opportunity in Education. MEOC helps adult students to overcome class, social, academic and cultural barriers to higher education. Services include: assistance in choosing a college, tutoring, personal and financial counseling, career counseling, assistance in applying to college, workplace and college visits, and assistance in applying for financial aid. For more information, call (800) 281-3703.

NFD, planners at odds on project

NEWRY — The Newry Planning Board recently wrote a letter to selectmen expressing concern that the Fire Department had gone "way beyond the requirements of the ordinance," in responding to a request for input on the Timber Village development on the Sunday River Road. The development proposes five single-family homes in condominium-style ownership. The NFD letter noted the following: "The Newry Fire Department has a couple of concerns with the proposed Timber Village development. The first is a general concern about this type of development. It seems that by building many houses on a lesser amount of land it is more detrimental to the land and the scenery than a cluster of five condos in one spot would be. With one unit holding five condos there would be fewer roads and driveways that need to be cleared and less trees that need to come down to create a yard or view. The second problem we have is with the narrow width of the roads leading to the lack of adequate turn-around space at the end of the driveways. We highly recommend the homes and the two apartments be sprinkled to meet the standards of at least NFPA 13D. We also ask that you consider the precedent you are maintaining with this type of development." The Planning Board's letter suggests that the FD confine its comments to the protection of lives and structures, and offer opinions on other areas as citizens of the town. Selectmen decided to contact the NFD to discuss the issue.

Snowmobile trail plan dropped

CRAWFORD NOTCH, N.H. — New Hampshire won't pursue plans to open a snowmobile trail around the Appalachian Mountain Club's Highland Center, club officials said. Instead, federal and state forestry workers will spend this summer widening an existing trail. The AMC last year sued the state to stop building a trail that cuts across its 26-acre property and runs within 300 feet of its lodge, saying agencies did not properly inform the club and its neighbors of the construction. AMC officials also were concerned about the trail's environmental impact and the disturbance a "merry-go-round" of passing snowmobiles would cause to lodge visitors, said Tupper Kinder, a club lawyer.

Free skiing ruled part of his job

PIERRE, S.D. — A Black Hills ski-lift operator who injured his shoulder while skiing on an afternoon break must be compensated, the state Supreme Court said Thursday in a unanimous ruling. Robert Bender's employer, Deer Mountain Ski Area at Lead, had argued that he was not hired to ski and wasn't working when he fell during a downhill run on the opening day of the ski season. Circuit Judge Warren G. Johnson of Deadwood agreed with Deer Mountain, prompting Bender to file an appeal with the Supreme Court. Because ski-lift operators at the resort routinely were allowed to make downhill runs during their 15-minute breaks, those skiing opportunities fell into the category of job benefits or perks, the high court said. "This was a common and accepted practice at Deer Mountain and a regular incident of the employment," wrote Justice Richard W. Sabers. "Injuries that Bender sustained while skiing on his scheduled work break arose out of and in the course of his employment," the jurist continued. "In addition, Deer Mountain derived a substantial direct benefit from the activity in that the opportunity to ski and snowboard during work breaks was an inducement to attract employees." Bender was allowed to sue Deer Mountain because it did not have workers' compensation insurance when the accident occurred on Dec. 14, 2002.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Defect stop leads to OUI arrest

At 12:59 a.m. on July 2 Sgt. S.R. White and Officer Travis Fillmore stopped a vehicle on Mayville Road for a defect. The driver, Kristy L. MacWilliams, 28, of Pittsfield, Mass. was arrested for OUI.

Tuesday, July 5

At 6:45 a.m. Officer Travis Fillmore assisted Bethel Rescue with an emergency call.

Monday, July 4

At 12:40 p.m. Sgt. S.R. White responded to a two-vehicle accident at the Route 26 and Chandler Hill Road intersection.

Sunday, July 3

At 7:15 p.m. on the East Bethel Road Officers T.J. Reese and Travis Fillmore arrested Adrienne P. Leblanc, 38, of Bethel for disorderly conduct. She was also summonsed for assault on an officer and assault on a corrections officer.

At 10:47 a.m. Officer Bill Britting responded to a report of an adult female wandering in the woods off Route 2. The two subjects reporting her tracked her down on ATVs and found her lying down. The officer was able to talk her into getting into the cruiser, then called Bethel Rescue. The woman appeared to be dehydrated, so he gave her a bottle of water. It was found she was the owner of a vehicle parked on Route 2 that the officer had noted earlier in the morning. The woman, who it was determined had not been taking her prescribed medication, was taken to the hospital and her family advised.

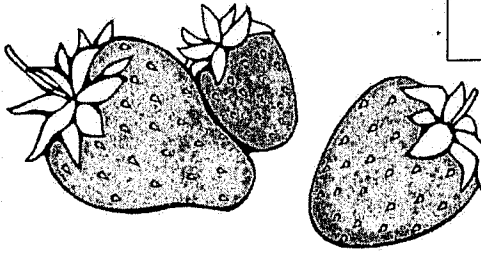
Saturday, July 2

At 11:15 p.m. on Cross Street Sgt. S.R. White arrested Michael S. Thurston, 42, of Bethel for OUI and operating without a license.

At 9 p.m. on Parkway Sgt. S.R. White and Officer T.J. Reese gave Maurice F. Hart Jr., 34, of Sumner a summons for operating after suspension.

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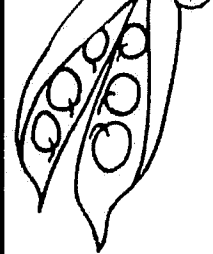
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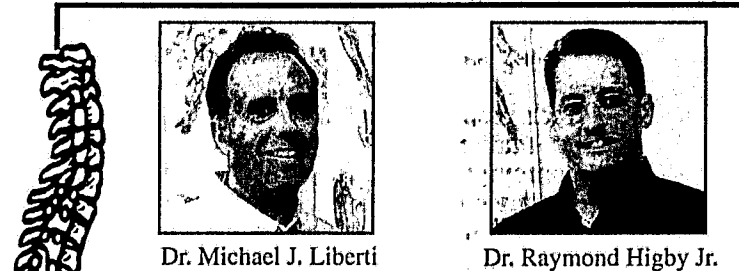
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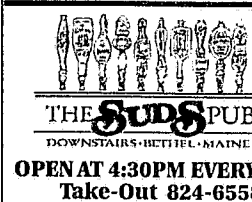
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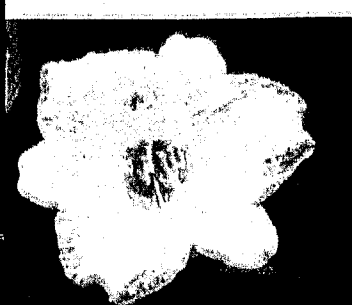
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biscuit. But member Bev Melville then suggested changing it to Belgian waffles.

"Since the waffles were added, and more pies, [the profit] has increased each year," said Hathaway.

This year, there were 140 waffles and 65 pies.

The festival is a lot of work, but the members enjoy it, said Hathaway.

"It makes working together fun and we really feel good doing it," she said. "God does work in many ways and so far has shown us what to do and helped us do it."

Greenwood

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mately 1,100 feet.

The way up affords fine hiking, a knoll near the summit offers panoramic views over North, South and Round ponds.

Town voters readily accepted the offer. At their annual Town Meeting in March, they voted overwhelmingly to approve spending \$16,800 for the land.

Following the vote, however, miscommunication and differing views on exactly what the town should do at the site led to debate and delays, at one point threatening to kill the deal.

Those problems were ultimately worked out (the town agreed to do things Maggie's way) and a contract was eventually drawn up.

On Tuesday the selectmen signed the agreement and presented Ring with a check for \$2,500, as a down payment.

Ring said she was very relieved the drawn-out process was coming to a close.

"I feel like I've had a load lifted off my back," she said. "It's done."

Over the course of the past year, the town was able to raise \$10,000 in private donations toward the purchase, leaving only \$6,800 to come from town funds.

Volunteers also pitched in, clearing and marking several trails (with Ring's permission).

All that remains now, said Town Manager Kim Sparks, is for Ring's attorney to draw up a deed. After one is signed, the town will clear a small parking area, and set a date for a formal opening, she said.

Beach problems

Less than a mile south of the future park, Greenwood already owns a small property that has been in use as a town beach.

The land was purchased by the town

in 1988 for \$40,000, with 75 residents voting unanimously at a special Town Meeting to buy it.

A sign at the beach states that it is for Greenwood residents only, but without posting someone at the beach to check, that restriction has been unenforceable.

And with no one to supervise their behavior some beach-goers, resident and non-resident alike, have abused the site.

Selectman Loretta Mikols said Tuesday that in the past two weeks she has received complaints not only of non-residents using the small and often crowded beach, but also of dogs running free there, large amounts of cigarette butts on the beach and dirty diapers and other sorts of garbage fouling the portapotty.

She also noted that cars park along both sides of the road.

On a recent visit, she said, "One car was parked right under the 'no parking' sign by the [boat launch] ramp."

There is a small parking lot across the road from the beach, but it is unmarked and reached by a narrow, inclined dirt driveway. As a result it is seldom used.

The selectmen had no solutions Tuesday for the various beach problems, short of posting an attendant there.

"I don't think you're going to do much unless you have someone there," said Chairman Fred Henderson.

To help spur their imaginations, they scheduled a site walk for yesterday afternoon (Wednesday, July 6).

"We'll let our imaginations work and see if we can do something really inexpensively," said Selectman Wayne Hakala.



CELEBRATING STRAWBERRIES

The Locke Mills Union Church held its annual Strawberry Festival Saturday at the church. Top, Dick Melville and Willie Hathaway load freshly-picked berries into a pickup truck at Barton's Farm in Albany. Middle, Maggie Ring, Denise Swan and Zylpha Gibbs sell strawberry pies at the festival, as Jeanne Davis pays for hers. Bottom, 95-year-old Bertha Flanders, a lifelong church member, enjoys a Belgian waffle with strawberries and whipped cream. (Photos: A. Aloisio)

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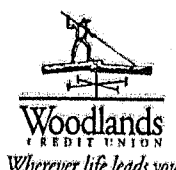
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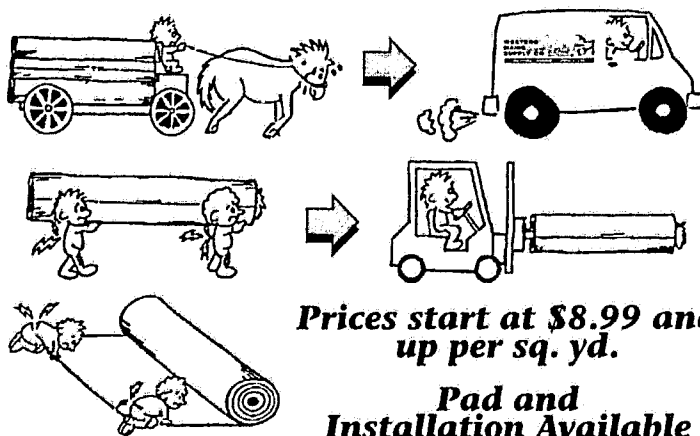


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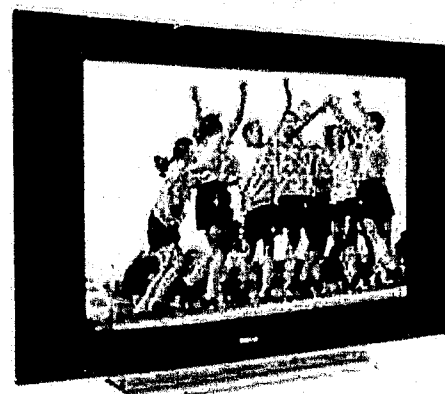
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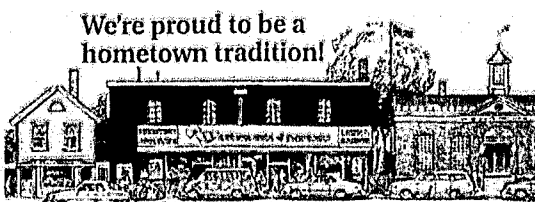
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Bethel



by Virginia Keniston

Marvin and Tineke Ouwinga held Open House at their home on

Paradise Road on Saturday, June 25, in celebration of their 40th wedding anniversary.

The Aquasize Group from Mollycoddett Pool, led by Amy Davis, met at Ruth Feeney's new home in Bryant Pond for a potluck luncheon on Monday, June 20.

The Cross Country Quilters Quilt Show was the best ever. It was held at the Middle Intervale Meeting House on June 24 and 25. It was very hot. Pat McCartney won the raffle.

Doris Fraser, along with Richard and Nancy Fraser and Pat Larosa attended the N.E. Brass and Gas Tour at Whitefield, N.H., recently. A wonderful entertaining time was had.

Tom and Dawn Giroux entertained family from North Carolina and this area recently at Littlefield Beaches.

Jean Kailey recently arrived at her home in Bethel for the summer.

Lynn Mason-Courtney is recovering from foot surgery at her home.

Norman Dock is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Orlando and Judy Fraser of Vidalia, Ga., are spending the week with Doris Fraser. Orlando will be attending the 45th Class Reunion of Stephens High School in Rumford.

Doris Fraser celebrated her 82nd birthday with a party at her home on the Fourth of July. Those attending were Musa Brown, Patricia Larose, Richard and Nancy Fraser, Scott and Kelly Fraser and girls, Bruce and Hollee Fraser, Tim, May, Kyle Gray, Deane, Stan Walker, Lizzy, Sue, Ron Merrill, Orlando and Judy Fraser, Phyllis Stevens.

The Art Fair on Bethel Common last Saturday was a great success. The weather was perfect and the crowd spectacular. The fireworks were well attended.

On the Fourth of July, the Portland Brass Quintet performed for the 13th season at the Bethel Historical Society lawn. A good crowd enjoyed their picnics while listening

to the concert.

Nancie Coan, formerly of the NTL Program in Bethel, arrived last Friday for six weeks. She is house sitting at Lorenzo Baker's home on Elm Street.

On Sunday, June 26 Dan Smith and Steve McDonagh won the Next Food Network Star Competition and were awarded a contract for their own cooking show on the Food Network T.V. Channel. Selected from a field of 10,000 entrants Dan and Steve were among the eight finalists in the competition.

While living in Bethel, Dan was employed at the Bethel Inn and later became the owner of Skidders Deli on Main Street, where he served lunches and also operated a catering business.

Dan currently lives in Chicago where he owns a successful catering business called "The Hearty Boys" and also a restaurant known as "H.B."

Dan's parents, Jim and Vicki Smith, live on Chapman Hill in Bethel.

The Duplicate Bridge Club winners Friday, June 24. At the club championships fourtable Howell movement: flight A — first, Kathy Feld and Carol Curran; second, Dick Allen and Pete Cummings; third, Ashley Bies and Alex Baumhoff. Finishing first in flight B: Carol Curran and Kathy Feld; second, Ashley Bies and Alex Baumhoff.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

July was an outstanding one. Next to Christmas it's our favorite holiday.

Families came together to enjoy the parade in Errol, the Pie Contest and the tribute to our servicemen. Theresa Stanczyk Irish and Ernie Aguilar, Sue and Dick Angevine's son-in-law, represented Upton.

A poem written by Ernie Aguilar while he was in Iraq was read over the loudspeaker. The crowd became very silent during the reading and burst into thunderous applause when it was completed.

The winning float was a lot

off. The ladies all dressed in 1920 bathing suits (no bikinis there).

In the evening the town gave a wonderful fireworks display. Many people from Upton attended.

The Wixom family hosted their annual Fourth party. There were lots of kids and adults acting like kids. The food was five-star. Attendees all paid strict attention to their calorie intake. It was our country's birthday party without cake.

Following the party we all enjoyed the fireworks clear across the lake in New Hampshire.

Liz and Walter Stanczyk were guests onboard the USS Iwo Jima while it was in Portland. Walt served on the old Iwo Jima while he was in the Navy.

There were 19 veterans of the Battle of Iwo Jima present. George Walker Bush came by water from Walkers Point to join in the reception. Walter, a 20-year Navy veteran, said it was a far cry from the old days aboard ship. The accommodations and food service were five-star.

We have received many compliments on how good the church, cemetery and Ladies Aid Building look at the top of Mill Road. There is a lovely garden at the Ladies Aid Building with a window box and bright red geraniums in a hanging basket on the porch.

Newry Bicentennial Celebration

July 8, 9, and 10

Friday, July 8
6:30 p.m.
7 to 8 p.m.

Saturday, July 9
7 to 9 a.m.
11 a.m.

Afternoon Activities
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Cookout
Live Music

Evening Activities
5 to 7 p.m.
7 to 9:30 p.m.
9:30 to 10 p.m.

Sunday, July 10
2 p.m.

200th Anniversary Proclamation at Artist's Covered Bridge
Horse and Carriage Rides from the Covered Bridge to Sunday River Inn for Ice Cream Social

Pancake Breakfast prepared by Outward Bound (small fee)
Parade beginning by yellow balloons, ending at the Grange Hall

Grange Hall

Prepared by The Newry Fire Department (small fee)
Jewel Clark and Donnie Katlin, Peter Morton and Friends.

Grange Hall
Baked Bean Supper
Wicked Good Band, Joe Perham
Fireworks Display

Hymn Sing at Newry Community Church

I have mentioned before that they were gifts of Connie and John Angevine. Sue Nelson has again placed big pots of red geraniums in the mill stones in front of the church. The mill stones were found about 40 years ago in the old foundation of the church while it was being restored. That committee, under the direction of Avery Angevine, placed the stones patio fashion allowing any visitors to sit and rest. It was a fine addition to the church.

The three selectmen, Larry Nelson, Richard Angevine and Paul Casey, will meet with FEMA representatives to discuss financing for the repairs on Back Street, Mill Road and the East "B" Hill Road. These sites received major damage during the spring rains. The selectmen and residents have been very patient waiting for FEMA. The reduced cost to the taxpayer, we hope will be worth the wait.

Sue Nelson and yours truly attended the Art Fair on the Common in Bethel on July 2. Joan Miller presented her great paintings for all to enjoy. Of course it would not be an Art Fair without Helen Morton's paintings.

Sue and yours truly while lunching at a Bethel restaurant had a great conversation about birds with Jo Monahan and Kay McMillin. Two delightful ladies.

The Strattons lost their two

phoebe nests to the Kennes and the LeComtes. Barbara misses the little birds but doesn't miss their using the porch for a toilet facility. Phoebe, you are the "Bird of the Week."

Congratulations to Craig Angevine who made the deans list at Bates College. His parents and grandparents are very proud of him.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

It's great to be back in Maine, especially now that the weather pattern has

broken, and the hot, humid, gray, misty days are behind us. We returned last week from a two-week circuit which involved my 50-year reunion at Hiram College in Hiram, Ohio, and then several days of lake trout fishing in Algonquin Park, Ontario.

The reunion was great fun, especially trying to figure out who all those old people were. We reminisced and laughed together and traded grandchildren stories ad infinitum. The college treated us well and served much better food than we ever remember eating while we were undergraduates. We visited old haunts and investigated new and/or refurbished buildings,

marveling at how nicely the campus has evolved since June 1955. There was already talk of our getting together in 2010, or maybe even sooner, to enjoy each other's company again.

After leaving Hiram we spent a night with an old high school chum in Cleveland, before driving on to Kearney, Ontario, where we hooked up with Mac and Nancy Davis of Bethel. We four were hosted for a night by our Canadian friends before we headed into the park on the 21st.

Mike and I have been returning to Algonquin since 1956, but it was the first time there for the Davises. Mac is a registered Maine Guide and pretty handy with a canoe—both paddling and carrying same. And Nancy is a dab hand in the kitchen, so she and I came up with some interesting and creative meals, with or without fish.

Nancy was the Davis fishing champ, but in all fairness I must add that Mac was paddling most of the time and didn't have much opportunity to fish.

To Mac's credit, he didn't lose or misplace a single thing all week. (I'm told this is unusual.) The four of us canoed, hiked, and fished together for four days before we reluctantly said good-bye to Nancy and Mac so that they could leave and get back to work and other obligations. Mike and I stayed another two

The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

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I hope everyone had a wonderful Fourth of July. There is something about that holiday that stimulates some sense of childhood excitement in me. I'm not exactly sure why because when I was a kid my family didn't do anything very exciting for the Fourth.

For a lot of people the fireworks shows take them back to their childhoods, but the only fireworks in my town were at the annual Firemen's Carnival and that didn't coincide with the Fourth of July.

Parades will bring back memories for a lot of people, but not for me. There was no such parade in my town. No patriotic ceremonies. No concerts in the park. Now that I think about it, I came from a pretty boring town.

I'd like to be able to say we always went to the beach or had a family cookout, but we never did. My father would usually get hold of a couple of fire crackers and set them off under a tin can and we kids would look on in awe as the can was propelled several feet into the air. That lasted all of about five minutes.

We never had a grill of any kind so we never had a cookout. I don't remember of ever having gone on a Fourth of July picnic. We did, however, have watermelon and strawberry shortcake and that's probably what I remember most.

My brother's and I would sit on the back steps eating our giant slices of watermelon and having seed fights with each other. We always hoped that the seeds that landed willy-nilly all over the backyard would take root and produce more watermelons, but, of course they never did.

The evening meal, whatever it may have been (no memory of that at all) always ended with strawberry shortcake and whipped cream. Sometimes it

was with fresh homemade biscuits and sometimes with store-bought dessert cups. Most of the time we had real whipped cream, but sometimes it was Dream Whip. Cool Whip didn't exist. It was always very good.

Now, very well into my adult years I can do whatever I want on the Fourth of July. Usually that means a family cookout. Now that my children are also way into their adult years, they have their fancy gas grills. I generally yield to them as far as the cooking goes.

...on the Fourth of July I became a bar-b-que bumbler...

I think my kids' Fourth of July memories are of the many disasters that took place because my grilling skills left a lot to be desired, at least on that day. It seemed that no matter how many other occasions I created char-grilled culinary masterpieces, on the Fourth of July I became a bar-b-que bumbler.

My timing was one of the problems. I was always so optimistic that the charcoal briquettes would light right away and be ready for grilling in 10 minutes. There was no "ready-to-light" briquettes then and I have been known to go through an entire can of lighter fluid just to get the darn fire going.

Mean while, hungry kids would be stuffing themselves with marshmallows and I didn't even have the grill lit.

If getting the grill ready wasn't the problem, it was my inept attempt at placing hot dogs and hamburgers where they would cook the best. I can't tell you how many hot dogs have either rolled off the grill completely and landed on

the ground or they would land in the briquettes. Have you ever tried to scrape ashes off of hot dogs?

Too many cookouts were spent waiting for the heat and then waiting for the meat. Too many Fourth of July's I served burnt hot dogs or undercooked chicken. Guessing the condition of the food and how long it would take to over/under cook it became a family tradition.

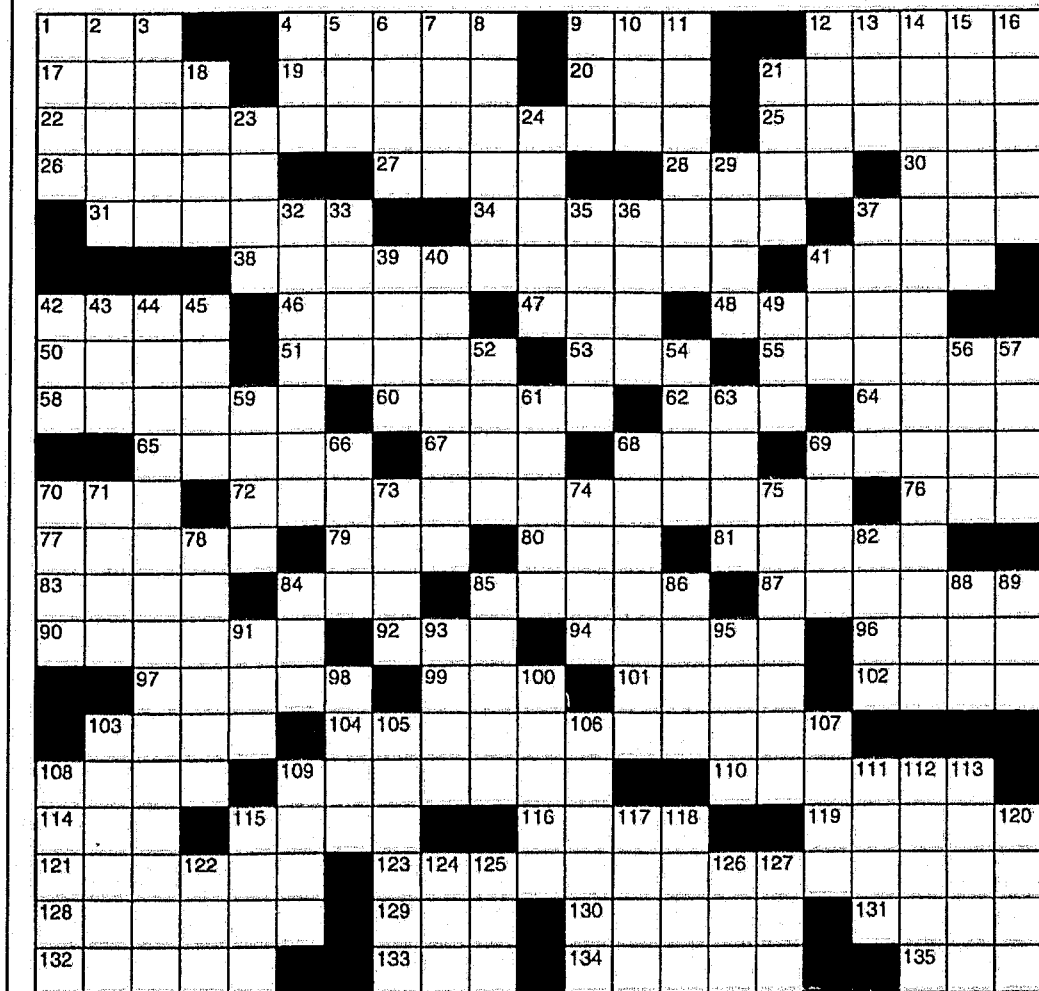
This year, however, I was ready and was going to be the Queen of the Grill. The family gathered at a nice picnic spot at the lake and I brought my grill and charcoal. My son-in-law, who considers himself to be the "Grill Master" brought his fancy gas grill. I cooked ribs, which I had actually pre-cooked and marinated in bar-b-que sauce at home. Jay handled the hamburgers and hot dogs.

I fired up my grill with instant light briquettes and got the fire going in record-breaking time. Jay fired up his fancy gas grill. The ribs were cooked to perfection 20 minutes later. The hot dogs were burnt and the burgers were dry. Oh yeah, one of the hamburgers didn't survive Jay's flip technique and landed on the ground. Na, na, na!

You have no idea how many years I've waited to cook the perfect Fourth of July meal. And did I rub it in Jay's face? Oh yeah! I don't think it bothered him though because he was stuffing his face with ribs at the time.

By the time I got done picking on my son-in-law and doing a victory dance the only food left to eat was burnt hot dogs and dry burgers, the ribs were all gone. Oh well, at least I finally got the grilling right and the way I see it, it was worth the dry burger. And later on, strawberry shortcake and whipped cream took me right back to my childhood and was the end to a perfect day.

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 - 73 Maugham work
 - 76 Pale
 - 77 Gravy
 - 79 Prison
 - 80 Rum sum
 - 81 Mead's milieu
 - 83 Eatery
 - 84 Snyder or
 - 85 Houston ballplayer
 - 87 Detest
 - 90 "Calendar Girl"
 - 92 Fox's crooner
 - 94 Desert
 - 96 Circus barker?
 - 97 Fight site
 - 99 Crank's comment
 - 101 Take risks
 - 102 Art adomment
 - 103 Very, very satisfied
 - 104 Michael Ansara series
 - 108 Egg plant?
 - 109 Fondue
 - 110 Rifleman
 - 114 Business abbr.
 - 115 James of "Misery"
 - 116 Pearl Harbor's locale
 - 119 Hold back
 - 121 Flautist
 - 123 The
 - 128 Private's posture
 - 129 Lodge member
 - 130 Carry on
 - 131 Joy Adamson's joy
 - 132 Hirsute Jamaican
 - 133 Occupy a cot
 - 134 Chutzpah
 - 135 Chariot bumper?
 - 1 Peruvian of old
 - 2 Oklahoma city
 - 3 Hitch in haste
 - 4 Quote from
 - 41 down
 - 5 — Saud
 - 6 Comic Goodman
 - 7 Snorri's stories
 - 8 He moves cars
 - 9 Excavate
 - 10 Laudatory lyrics
 - 11 French philosopher
 - 12 Isn't completely wrong?
 - 13 Diocese
 - 14 Roman
 - 15 Put behind bars
 - 16 Cardiff's country
 - 18 Where lions laze
 - 21 Nothing but space
 - 23 Handle
 - 24 Class
 - 29 Used to be
 - 32 Imperfection
 - 33 Roof edge
 - 35 Breathe like a bull
 - 36 Reverse
 - 37 Eventual monarch
 - 39 Chip's chum
 - 40 Beseech
 - 41 Fluffy female
 - 42 Mouth piece?
 - 43 Antique ending
 - 44 Impending peril
 - 45 Pericles' portico
 - 49 Mill, group
 - 52 De Lesseps' ditch
 - 54 Danby or
 - 56 Hot rocks?
 - 57 Early orchard?
 - 59 Essence
 - 61 Machinations
 - 63 Some wires
 - 66 Mr. Saarinen
 - 68 See 41
 - 69 San —, Italy
 - 70 Basics
 - 71 "Dies —"
 - 73 Interstate
 - 74 Coll. cadets
 - 75 Armada member
 - 78 Shred
 - 82 Kind of kiln
 - 84 Prepare to be in
 - 85 Vigilant
 - 86 Astronomer Khayyam
 - 88 "Ball —"
 - 89 New Haven hardwood
 - 91 Brew barrel
 - 93 "— Named Sue" (69 hit)
 - 95 Slips up
 - 98 "—, Ca-Dabra" (74 song)
 - 100 Biblical
 - 102 Musical composition
 - 105 Stream
 - 106 Kevin of "SNL"
 - 107 Unrestrained
 - 108 Churchill trademark
 - 109 Motown's Marvin
 - 111 Organ part
 - 112 Boxer Griffith
 - 113 Hair coloring
 - 115 — Grande, AZ
 - 117 Present
 - 118 Weekend warriors (Abbr.)
 - 120 Autocrat
 - 122 Angkor — (Cambodian temple)
 - 124 Ivy League
 - 125 Manage, with "out"
 - 126 Off-rd. transport
 - 127 Formerly known as



Super Crossword Sharpen your wits

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days, so were able to surpass Nancy's fish total. And yes, there is talk of doing this again sometime.

On Friday, the 24th, senior citizen groups from all over Oxford County were invited by the Oxford County Sheriff's Office to enjoy a "TRIAD" day at Fryeburg Fairgrounds. Androscoggin Home Care & Hospice was there, as were many other community groups, providing information and literature, as well as performing services such as free blood pressure screenings. Jane Hosterman and Barbara Mahler attended and bought their share of 50/50 raffle tickets and tickets for various "goody" baskets. Everyone was treated to endless supplies of coffee and donuts, and then had a pleasant picnic lunch, after which drawings were held and raffle prizes awarded.

I'm told that Doris Brown, a member of the West Bethel Union Church, celebrated her 96th birthday on June 27. Very best wishes go to Doris for reaching this memorable milestone.

The annual Art Fair took place on Saturday, July 2, on the Bethel Common, with the weather gods smiling on the affair. Becky Kendall and Arlene Lowell were there selling cookies for the West Bethel Church.

On the Fourth, many of us attended the brass quintet concert and community picnic at the Moses Mason House, a tradition that was revived several years ago to commemorate the picnics Dr. Mason hosted many times during his lifetime.

Jake had company over Saturday night. Tess, who belongs to Shireen and Jerry Vincent, stayed at our house while her owners attended a concert in Portland that

night.

Bud and Lynn Kulik, who spend a part of each summer living in a motor home near the corner of the Flat Road and Route 2, are currently on their way to Alaska. Before they left, however, they arranged to have bottles of "patience medicine" presented to Richard Littlefield and Rupert Grover, to be taken often during their respective recuperations, and refilled at will. The pills are actually M & Ms and have done considerable to increase the "patience" of both "patients."

By next week, I hope to have met some of the alpacas who are moving to the Flat Road. Will keep you posted.

Also, it looks as if the phoebes are building another nest; updates to come.

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Hanover



by Clem Worcester

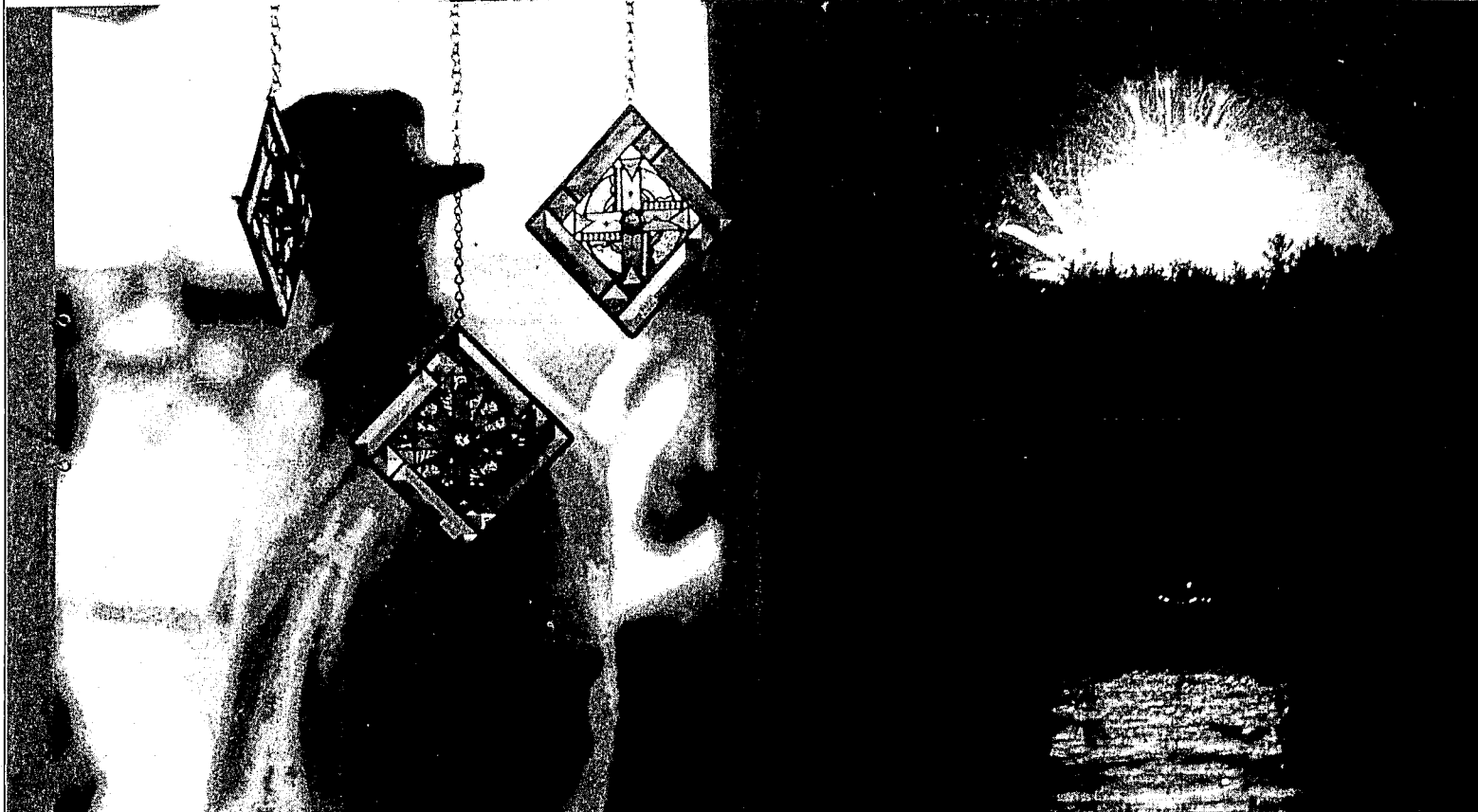
Both Jacob Lukas and Jarrett Lukas were recently named to

the Class A, Penobscot Valley Conference Varsity All Stars for their 2005 Maine high school baseball performances. Jacob, a recently graduated senior, and Jarrett, who completed his sophomore year, played for Old Town High School and are the sons/stepsons of Tim Lukas and Deirdre O'Callaghan of Hanover.

Both boys continue to pursue their passion for baseball this summer, with Jarrett one of the leaders on his Senior League Team (15-16 year olds) and both boys playing starting roles on their Orono/Old Town American Legion team. Sure hope these two athletes

A PICTURE-PERFECT DAY Mother Nature delivered her own work of art in the form of beautiful weather Saturday at Bethel's annual Art Fair. There were plenty of arts and crafts to choose from, as well as entertainment by the Sweet Adelines. At night, a fireworks display lit up the skies over the Bethel Inn (seen here from Songo Pond).

(Photos: A. Aloisio)



can still find some time to do some fishing and post some new pictures on Gordie Howe's braggin' board, as we're getting pretty used to (or tired of?) seeing these two boys and their dad's pictures of their special fish and deer. Congratulations to both Jacob and Jarrett on their recently completed high school baseball season.

Congratulations are due to Dr. Thomas DeLuca for his election as president of the Maine Osteopathic Association. Dr. DeLuca has been very active in the MOA and has been on the board of directors for nine years, and he hopes to work toward formulating a good health plan for the state. He lives with his wife, Vicki, and their two chil-

dren, Marcello, 9, and Isabella, 7, in Hanover where they are both active in community affairs. Vicki is president of the Friends of the Rumford Library and is a tri-athlete. Dr. DeLuca is involved in his children's sports in coaching activities in ice hockey, floor hockey, baseball and soccer.

Marie Halacy recently spent the weekend in Portland to provide cheering support for her granddaughter, Jessie Farrington from East Andover, at championship softball games.

Andrew and Angela Bresett of the Howard Pond Road in Hanover are being congratulated upon the birth of a baby boy, Alexander Scott, born June 15 at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. The new baby has a sister, Allison, and two brothers, Andy and Aaron.

Swimming lessons at Howard Pond were completed last Friday. The program is a

function of the Greater Rumford Community Center and is held each summer at the swimming area near the dam.

The Rumford Point Church held an afternoon tea at the church last Saturday in memory of Betsy Baker who lived in the large home next to the church. Miss Baker passed away in 2001.

Sarah Doll Rountree of Fulton, N.Y., died June 29 at the age of 75. Sarah and her husband, Robert, came to their cottage on South Shore Road for many years and became friends to a lot of folks around the pond and in the area. A daughter and two sons survive her. There will be a graveside memorial service at the Hanover Cemetery on Monday, July 11, at 11 a.m., with the Reverend R. Kelly Harvell officiating.

Get well wishes go to Chris Penney of Ellis River Road, who was recently hospitalized at Rumford Hospital. She is

recuperating at home.

Barb and Irv Robinson at last report have been biking along the upper peninsula of Michigan and camping along the shores of Lake Superior. They report that several folks they have met along their way have made donations to the Moving Fund for Gardner Roberts Memorial Library.

More bear stories are making their way into our news. A bear knocked over a birdhouse with a family of swallows at Gordon and Joan Howe's home. The mother swallow was concerned that her babies and their nest were lying on the ground. Gordon and his son, Chris, righted the post with the house on it, repaired the roof and the mother swallow continued feeding her young ones.

Not far away, it has been reported that Marcia Stearns had a bear attempt to assist her while she barbecued dinner one day last week.

Four-year-old Kaylynn Worcester is staying with her dad, Brian, this week. She went fishing and caught her limit and she has been trying to catch butterflies.

This holiday week is especially busy at Howard Pond with people staying at nearly every cottage. Claudia Nardoni has arrived for the summer at Triple J. Tom and Sylvia Revey from Connecticut are staying on South Shore Road.

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West Paris



by
Joyce Lamb

What wonderful weather we have been having, with promise of more of the same. What a nice summer it would be if it lasted until fall. Beryl Bonney entertained 15 members of the Goodwill Fellowship at her camp on Round Pond on Monday evening. Dorene Merrill and Dona Melville spent the night with her there. The weather and company were good and all had a good time playing Pokeno.

I was at the Unitarian Universalist Camp in Saco for three days for work week. Much was accomplished over the whole campus. I worked with the group sewing slip covers for sofas and chairs. My daughter, Jude Lamb, was there for the whole week helping paint the front of Roland Hall. The mornings were for working with the afternoons and evenings free for beach time and visiting with old friends. It is so sad to see that the winter storms washed away beach sand as well as about twenty feet of dunes.

The ocean is rising with the melting of our ice caps. Is there anyway to stop it?

On the way home from the beach I visited Dorothy Christie in Gray. It is nice to see old friends even for a short time.

My great-grand twins celebrated their first birthday on Sunday at their home in Au-

burn with many relatives attending. They received many nice gifts. The birthday cakes were made by their mother. Sophia and Winston are children of Cameron and Kelly McLaughlin Hartley.

Buffy's pink skin has tanned for he likes the sun. I do not let him stay out too long at one time.

Gilead



by
Lin Chapman

It has been a lovely weekend for the Fourth of July. The weather decided to cooperate with nice warm, sunny days and low humidity.

My brother, Steve McLain, received a call from his son, Capt. Stephen McLain, this weekend. Stephen and his family are vacationing in California and visiting his wife's family. They have the month of July and then he has to report to Mississippi for his next assignment on Aug. 1.

Hugh and I went to the Art Fair in Bethel on Saturday. Lots of great things to look at that were created by really talented artists. There were people who did jewelry making, woodworking, basket weaving, painting, metalworking and photography, just to mention a few. I especially enjoyed the lady who painted pictures on feathers. I took chances on the raffle that was being held, and I received a call on Sunday that I had won four of the items that I had bid on.

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Our grandson, Benjamin Chapman, visited us over the weekend. He is vacationing this week with his family, Elena and Jon Martin and son, Greg. On Saturday, we had all four grandchildren at the house together at the same time. Sidney Chapman was there for a while in the afternoon and William and Annie Chapman stayed to have dinner with their cousin, Benjamin.

This past week, Hugh Chapman and Bill Tout decided to tackle the tall grass that has grown up between the railroad and Route 2. Bill brought over his DR Trimmer and made quick work of the grass and any bushes. Many thanks to the St. Lawrence and Atlantic Railroad for giving the OK to keep this grass mowed. It certainly makes the area much more appealing to look at. The fact that the bushes are kept to a minimum also makes it much easier to see up and down the tracks and Route 2.

Planning Board
Just a reminder that the Planning Board is having their next regular meeting on July 7 at the Town Hall. An agenda is posted at the Town Hall.

Gilead Historical Society
The next event for the GHS is the town of Newry's Bicentennial Celebration. The celebration is being held on July 8, 9, and 10. The GHS is planning on setting up a table at the Grange Hall on Saturday, the 9th. Any members that have time can stop by and lend a hand at the table.

Please give me a call with some news. Did you have company over the 4th? Call me at 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com.

Newry



by
Sylvia Harrington

Nicole Berry — I had no idea you were old enough to dance! Your picture in The Citizen is beautiful.

Leon and Sandee Dunn spent the long weekend at their favorite campsite on Richardson Lake.

John Gauthier is continuing work on his beautifully

designed home.

Sunday services are held at the North Newry Church from 9 to 10 a.m. during the summer months. Rodney Hanscom is the pastor. His daughter, Nancy Anderson, is the organist.

Several of Owen Wight's family joined him for their annual cookout and get-together on the July 4th weekend.

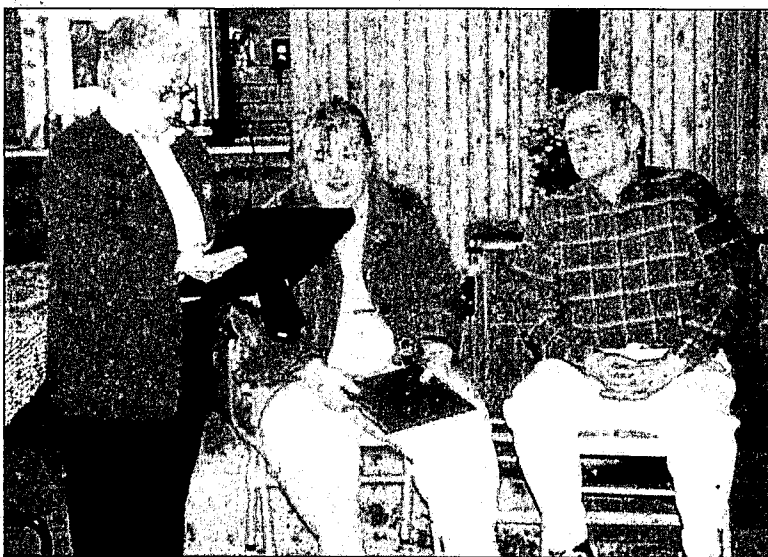
Stony Brook Campsite on the Newry/Hanover border looked well occupied as I drove

past it Saturday.

My dear friends, the Kerchners of Andover, invited me for a delicious supper and get-together. Fran Kerchner, who is Everett Dresser's daughter, and I have been friends for many years. She and Wayne live in Wellesley, Mass.

Noel Gauthier is in Alaska for the summer.

Between Bear River Trading Post and Helen Morton's home the Bear River has cut into the riverbank quite deeply. I hope



GROVER HONORED—Each year during National Grange Month, granges throughout the country honor a non-granger for service to the community. This year, Pleasant Valley Grange 136 in West Bethel presented its Community Citizen Award to Nancy Grover of Mason Township. Grover, pictured here with her husband, Daniel, and Grange Lecturer Tillie Myers, was recognized for her many volunteer activities, including hours of service to the West Bethel Union Church, Telstar middle/high schools, and Jackson-Silver 68 American Legion Auxiliary.

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There is always lots of traffic in the summer between the area highlights and Grafton Notch: Step Falls, Screw Auger Falls, Mother Walker Falls, Old Speck Mountain trails, Table Rock (my favorite place) a new trail, called the Grafton Loop Trail, just before the bridge construction, and many swimming spots and places to fish.

Airplane pilots going over the Davis/True driveways must be pleased to see large rocks in the shape of a half-bow painted red, white and blue. Earlier, these same rocks were all yellow.

Those of us living north of the bridge construction will have to allow extra time as we head south. Work started July 5.

Friday, July 8, starts our Bicentennial. Hope to see lots of people on Saturday. Brochures are available at the Town Hall — also check The Citizen for an extensive list of events.

Mason



by Richard Grover
Logging is going on big time on the upstream end of Tyler Road

in Mason. The effort involves the usual skidders, a de-limbing machine, a cut-off saw rig, a semi-trailer log truck, an excavator and has resulted in several replaced culverts and bridges. I even noticed one lady skidder operator, a first for me. There have been many truckloads of logs leaving the valley. I think all this activity in the valley has displaced some of the deer from that area into other woods, resulting in more deer tracks in some areas than I have seen in years. (Course I have not been hunting yet — just checking out some of the areas around here.

Young Colton Williams has made several visits to "the farm" at Rupert and Ina's lately, where he enjoys playing with their great-grandsons, Jacob and Sam. Colton is also familiar with Ina's kitchen, where there are always snacks available. One day last week, he came into the kitchen and announced, "By Gosh, I never thought I'd see the day when there weren't any donuts in Ina's kitchen!"

I'd like to close with a statement one of the speakers at

the state American Legion convention made during his presentation. Norm Clanton reminded me of this during one of the flag presentations we made over the weekend. The statement: "America will remain the land of the free only so long as she is the home of the brave!"

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer
Ruby Meister is the lecturer for Alder River Grange.

Jack and Lucy Nordahl were at Popham Beach June 26-29. It was foggy, muggy and cool for the four days they were there.

Nancy Dailey of Connecticut, Betty Nordahl of California, and Bill Nordahl of New Jersey all came on July 2 for a week's visit with Jack and Lucy Nordahl.

Millie Jackson and Marion Kimball visited Dorothy Edwards in Poland on July 3. She was their seventh-grade teacher.

Alder River Grange will have a regular meeting on July 8. There will be a 6:30 p.m. potluck supper and the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Andre Cote of Farmington, N.H., visited Arlene Harrington on July 2 and 3.

The gardens are growing and the weeds also.

Have a nice week. God Bless the Troops.

Andover



by Melinda Averill
Hello readers, what an awesome Fourth of July weekend. Nice camping

weather. We went to Errol for the fireworks on Saturday night. The highlight was on the way home seeing a baby moose in the road on East B Hill. It looked like a little, fat, brown cow.

Karen and Bob Vachon, Brookfield, N.H., were in town visiting her parents, Roger and Dot Mills, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Farrington spent a few days last week visiting relatives in Darley, P.E.I.

Guests visiting relatives in East Andover this past week were Mr. and Mrs. Greg Offhaus, Fayetteville, N.C. Wani-ta stayed but her husband, Greg, flew back home. He will

return later. Their daughter, Kristalynn, of Georgia came too.

Stephen and Donna Hall, Conyers, Ga., are vacationing at their home in East Andover, across from her parents, Jean and Lester White. Their son, Guy, his wife and two children are also visiting the area.

Laura Hutchins has returned from a five-day tour to P.E.I., won by her through the Maine State Grange. She said the lupine were beautiful.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Hugh Morton of Roxbury, who passed away last Thursday. Hugh grew up in Andover and has several brothers and their families that live here.

Mike and Peggy-sue Mills had a pool party for family and friends over the Fourth. The weather was gorgeous, the food was delicious and the pool was awesome.

Don't forget the Hunter Safety course being held on July 23 and 24 at the Town Hall. It is open to anyone 10 years or older. Call 392-1113 for more information.

Albany



by Dana & Sheila Dyke
Greetings, and hello from Albany Township. We hope that everyone had a

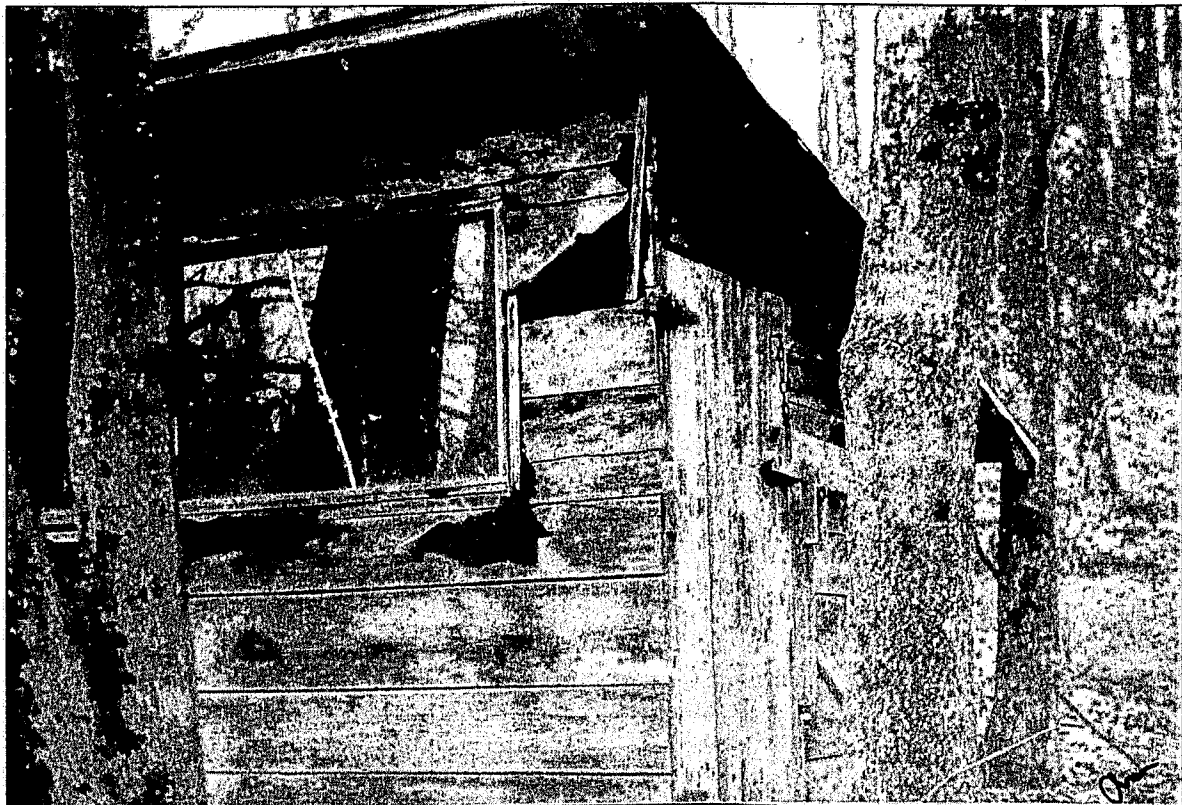
great Fourth of July weekend, picnicking, barbecuing, going to the beach, yard saleing — what have you. We had a decent, busy weekend, and ended it with a cookout at my sister's house in Dixfield.

Saturday was the Art Show on the common in Bethel (hope you were able to get out to see it — quite a lot of talented people in this region).

Janet Willie had a Shy, Novice & Closeted Art Show at her home on High Street. Dyana Dyke entered her works — b/w 35mm, color digital, and photo manipulation — into this show. She had a great time, and even sold one of her pieces.

There are a lot of talented kids in Albany — those who can take photographs, sketch, paint, play musical instruments, sing, and teach younger children (anyone who teaches knows this is quite the talent).

Unfortunately, there isn't much of a forum here in our lovely little township to express all of these talents. Fortunately, between school, special events, and church the kids are able to get the chance



OFF-COMMON SHOW

At the same time the regular Bethel Art Fair was taking place on the common, the "Shy, Novice & Closeted Artists" show was underway at Therapeutic Massage on High Street. "So many artists don't consider themselves to be artists," said Janet Willie of Therapeutic Massage. "They don't imagine themselves as someone who would do the common." So she decided to provide them a place to display their work. Among the works were the photo "Rustic Shed," by teen photographer Dyana Dyke of Albany, as well as a 100-year-old painting of a horse by Abigail Gill Hutchins, grandmother of Tim Hutchins, who contributed the painting for the show.

to express themselves in one form or another.

Speaking of children, our wishes to the newest, littlest member of our community, Clara Abbott, who was born the end of May. Congratulations to her mother, Stacy, on the birth of this most precious addition to her family.

If you haven't already noticed, the Barton's Pick Your Own Strawberries is open on the Barton Road. Hurry — these won't last long. And look for their farm stand, too, at the end of Wardwell Road.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep.

Waterford



by Rockie Graham
I don't know about anyone else, but I missed most of the Fourth

celebrations.

We did go to the breakfast at the Wilkins House with our friend, Jim Cronin.

Jim was up with his horse, Big Al, his daughter, Becca, and her boyfriend, Joe. Jim and Big Al are doing horse and carriage rides. They were to be found last week in Bethel and can probably be seen

there again on subsequent weekends. Anyone interested in having them come to an event can reach him at Claire's Carriages (508) 883-8014 or on his cell (508) 333-2363. Locally anyone can leave a message at 743-0583.

Summer events continue. On July 27 the Waterford Library will be discussing "The Heart Is A Lonely Hunter" by Carson McCullers. In August, on the 24th, they will discuss "The Jane Austen Book Club" by Karen Joy Fowler. Meetings are the fourth Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. All are welcome.

July 9 is the Norway Summer Festival. There will

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Monica Wood will be speaking in Bethel at the Western Mountains Senior College on July 13 at 2 p.m. This will be at the Garland Chapel at West Parish Congregational Church on Church Street in Bethel. FMI: call Jackie Cressy at 824-0508.

Forgive me if this is light. I am succumbing to that virus that has been making the rounds. Have a great July day and enjoy the good weather. Even rain is good at these temperatures and believe it or not, our gardens need it.

South Woodstock



by Andrea Wing

I paid a visit to Tommy Poland last Wednesday. I had not been up to see her for quite awhile. Her daughter, Sherri, was just leaving so did not have a chance to visit with her, too.

My sister, Dotte Critser, Tempe, Ariz., who recently had a stroke, has been moved from one rehab center to another. I am anxious to hear how she is doing. I expect a call soon.

The town road crew has been doing a ditching job here on Curtis Hill and other areas. They are doing a fine job.

Richard does a good job keeping the mowing and trimming done around our lot. Our flowers are especially pretty now.

Kenny Poland is back to work after having knee surgery, and it has only been a short time.

I am trying to decide if I should order oil for the winter months ahead or take my chances. You are never sure if it will go up or down, probably up.

One of the new homes that is going to be put up here on the hill is ready and waiting to be put on the foundation.

Jim Boutillier is not feeling well. His wife, Edna, is taking a year off work at Wal-Mart to help with his care. We wish him the best.

Richard House is doing some lawn work, loam and seeding. It is looking real good.

Willie and Joyce Hathaway

are also making a new lawn on a trailer lot near our home.

Sarah and daughter, Amy (did not get the last names), stopped by for a visit. Sarah is Capt. Jim Miclon's fiancée. Sarah showed us her new diamond. I was glad to meet them. They seem very pleasant and hope to see them again real soon. Sarah drives a school bus for Oxford Hills. Congratulations to Jim and Sarah.

Brandi and Ryan Seames' new home is being built here on Curtis Hill. It is going up real fast. I am anxious to see it when it is complete.

Frank Fraser is putting new siding on his home here.

Happy Birthday to those celebrating in July. They are: Joe Pete Appleby, Stephanie Appleby, Sarah Jeanne Clements, Cylas Cash, Suzi Curry, Judy Green, Lee Herrick, Pat Hart, Bethany Lowe, Carolyn Lowe, Kalvin Mason, Rebecca Morgan, Sheldon Morgan, Dylan and Derick Poland (twins), Leon Poland, Peggy Roberts, Alex Ryerson, Vince Stevens, Darcy Tyler, Larry Wilday, Eric Poland, Jarrett Bean and Andrea Wing. A special birthday wish to my husband, Richard.

Quote of the week: "I have

learned that the wealthiest woman is she whose daughter grows up to be her best friend."

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m.; morning worship at 10:30 a.m.; choir practice at 5 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting and Thursday at 9 a.m. is ladies prayer time. Looking ahead to the week of July 10, there will be cottage prayer meetings for V.B.S. On Sunday, July 24 "The Musical Messengers," David Lloyd and Ben Conant, will have special music in the morning service and do the complete evening service. Vacation Bible School will start the first week of August. Charles Chandler will be here on Sunday, July 31, to start it off.

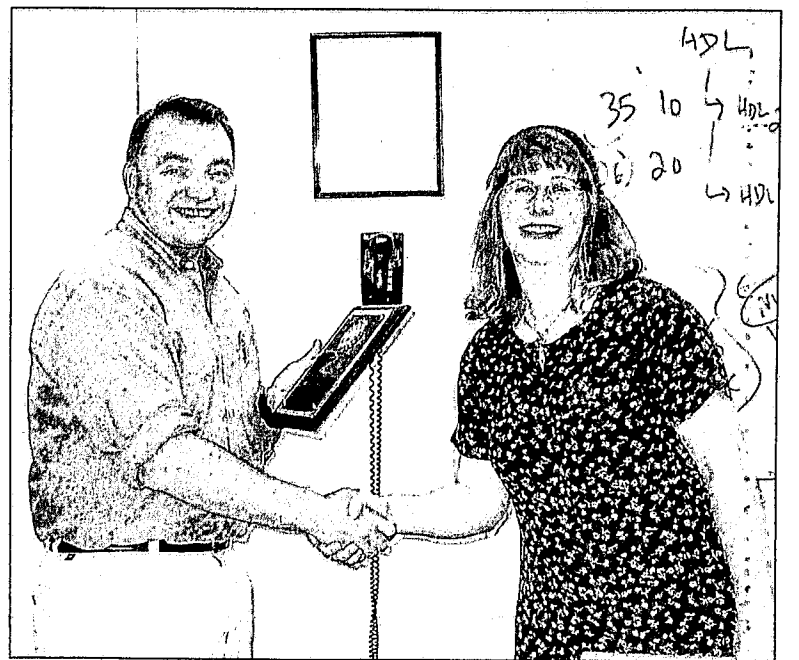
Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens sale and luncheon was held on Saturday at the Grange Hall. President Edwin Howe was chairman. Workers were Eddie and Louise Howe, Annella Burnham and Evelyn Bean doing the luncheon. Others helping were George Gibbs, several others helped set it up and take it down. Several tables were had by area ladies. Items left were given to the free store. Thanks to all who gave and helped.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will meet on Thursday, July 7, at the Grange Hall with the meeting at 11:30 a.m., dinner at noon by the Grange and program will be a game party. Please bring an item for the game party.

Judith Grover Tent 17 Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War will meet on Monday, July 11, at the Grange Hall. Four members attended the Department Convention in Waterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hoover, Marybeth Hoover and Clair Joly spent the weekend camping in Freeport.

Visitors at Ken and Alice Hoyt and Beatrice Farnum's on Tuesday were James, Charlene, Joseph and Maggie Hoyt,



Dr. FINLEY HONORED—Kevin Finley, D.O., of Bethel Family Health Center, was recently presented the "Outstanding Physician Award for 2005" by the Downeast Association of Physician Assistants. The award is presented to a Maine physician who has demonstrated outstanding support of Physician Assistants and the P.A. profession by precepting, educating, and legislating or by exemplifying the P.A./Physician team approach to medicine. There have been regular rotations of P.A. students at BFHC over the last several years for which Dr. Finley has served as preceptor. "Dr. Finley is always willing and pleased to take on P.A. students, who have again and again expressed their appreciation for his mentoring style and inspiration," says Practice Manager Dianna Milot. "We are proud of Dr. Finley's recent recognition by the Downeast Association of Physician Assistants. His outstanding work in this area reflects the importance of supporting physician assistants, not only in their development of clinical skills but in their understanding of rural health issues," says Stephen E. Walsh, Health Reach Community Health Centers' president and C.E.O.

Marybeth Hoover, Clair Joly, and Shawn Crockett. They had a cookout and spent a couple hours at the BIG Adventure Center in Bethel.

Last Wednesday, Harriett Estes called on her Aunt Beatrice Farnum.

President Mary Billings and Olive Risko watched the Museum at the Historical Society on Saturday and peonies from the Billings' family garden decorated the museum. There were four visitors to the museum on June 25. More money came in on the Loon wall hanging. It is at the Town Office during the week. Thanks, Rose, for selling the tickets.

Curator Larry Billings talked to Dr. David Willard, who was at the museum when he opened it last Saturday. There is a new exhibit in the museum on Indian women including Pocahontas, Sacajawea and Mollycokett. It was supplied by Larry Billings and will remain until the Flea Market Day.

Flea Market Day is Saturday, July 16 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tables are for rent for \$3 each. Call 665-2450 or 743-8035 for more information. The museum is open every Saturday afternoon from 1 to 4 p.m. Meetings are the second Saturday of each month at 7 p.m. at the museum.

Olive Risko read some of the letters written by her Aunt Edith Bryant in the exhibit on the Bryants at the society. History Day at the museum is Aug. 6 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. with crafts and food for sale. Plan to attend the July meeting; it will have a video on L.L. Bean for the program.

Mary Billings and Annella Burnham went to Annella's camp on the ocean for a few days. Joyce Howe was also going for a while. It was nice they invited Mary. Antique dealer, Jay Boschetti of Stearns Mill Antiques, brought a few collectibles from Larry



WATERBORNE SCULPTURES—Jim Sysko and Joe Bailey competed in the sculpture race at Bethel's recent Summer Solstice event, then took the competition to the waters of the Androscoggin River. Here, Sysko's creation floats near the Bethel Outdoor Adventure campground. (Photo: Dick Taylor)

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Billings to help him out at the end of the month. Thanks.

Have you seen that a book is out by the late Taisto Koskela? The Finnish-American Heritage is very rich in western Maine.

From the

Telstar Alumni Association

The Telstar Alumni Association is planning some fundraisers for this summer. On July 16, we will have a booth, as in years past, at Mollycodd Day on the common in Bethel. We will be selling Kettle Korn popcorn, to make some money for our Memorial fund. Please stop by and check out our sandwich board with the classes of 1970 (35 years) and 1980 (25 years), and grab a bag of popcorn on the way by.

Also, there will be a Car Show at Telstar High School during the day and there is an Alumni category. Check it out.

Aug. 13 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., at Telstar High School is our annual Alumni Day. There will be hot dogs, chips, soda and water available at no cost, so keep us in mind when you are in town.

Our last fundraiser of the year will be our ever-popular Halloween Dance on Oct. 22 at the American Legion Hall in Locke Mills from 8 p.m. to 12 midnight. We are still in the organizing stages with this, but keep this date open. We hope to see you at one or all of these events.

From

Western Mountains Senior College

Monica Wood, one of Maine's most promising authors, will be guest of Western Mountains Senior College (WMSC) on Wednesday, July 13, at Garland Chapel, West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel, at 2 p.m.

Wood will review her third novel, "Any Bitter Thing," which earned the number seven spot for May on the "Top Ten Picks" from BookSense, a coalition of over 1,100 independent bookstores across the country. As with her other works, Wood drew in part from her experiences while growing up in Mexico, Maine. The novel is set in a fictional western Maine town and tells the story of a young woman raised by her beloved uncle who is a priest. Kirkus Reviews calls the novel "a quiet tale of epic repercussions," and Publishers' Weekly says "the prose is as fresh and lovely as a Maine summer evening."

Wood's other books include the novels "My Only Story" and "Secret Language." Also, "Ernie's Ark," a book of linked stories, is included on the Maine Library's list of twenty books designated for entry in the "Main Voices, One Nation" national reading-list project. Her short stories have been read on Public Radio International and published in numerous magazines and anthologies. She was also

awarded a Pushcart Prize. She is the author of two books for writers, "The Pocket Muse" and "Description."

Wood's reviewed book, "Any Bitter Thing," is available at area bookstores.

After her presentation, she will be available to autograph books for anyone who has acquired copies.

This event is free to members of WMSC, who are invited to bring a guest. However, pre-registration is strongly recommended due to limited seating. For more information or to register, call Jackie Cressy at 824-0508.

From the

Oxford County Republicans

The July meeting of the Oxford County Republican Committee will be held on Tuesday, July 12, in Bethel at the residence of Dr. Stan Howe. The residence is on Broad Street across from the Bethel Inn. A BBQ will be hosted by the Bethel Republican Committee.

The social hour will be at 5:30 p.m. followed by the BBQ at 6:30.

The speaker will be Lucas Caron, campaign manager of U.S. Senator Olympia Snowe.

Norm Ferguson, county coordinator for the recent successful People's Veto Referendum to stop the borrowing, will report on that effort.

All Republicans and interested citizens are all welcome to attend.



BETHEL ROTARY COMMUNITY SERVICE AND AWARDS

Above, several members of the Bethel Rotary Club helped construct this bridge over a stream by Trout Pond in Stoneham, near Camp Susan Curtis. It was designed by Scott Hynek and installed on the camp's "Work Day," held June 17. After first assembling the structure on the bed of Hynek's pickup truck, the workers floated the bridge across the pond to its site on a section of the camp's dock, utilized as a barge. The volunteers put the bridge in place under the watchful eye of a large snapping turtle, apparently lying in wait for fish in the stream. The structure replaces a log bridge, and not only carries young campers over the stream, but also provides a place to stop, sit and rest. Left, Walter Hatch was named Rotarian of the Year last week, receiving the award from outgoing President Janet Black.

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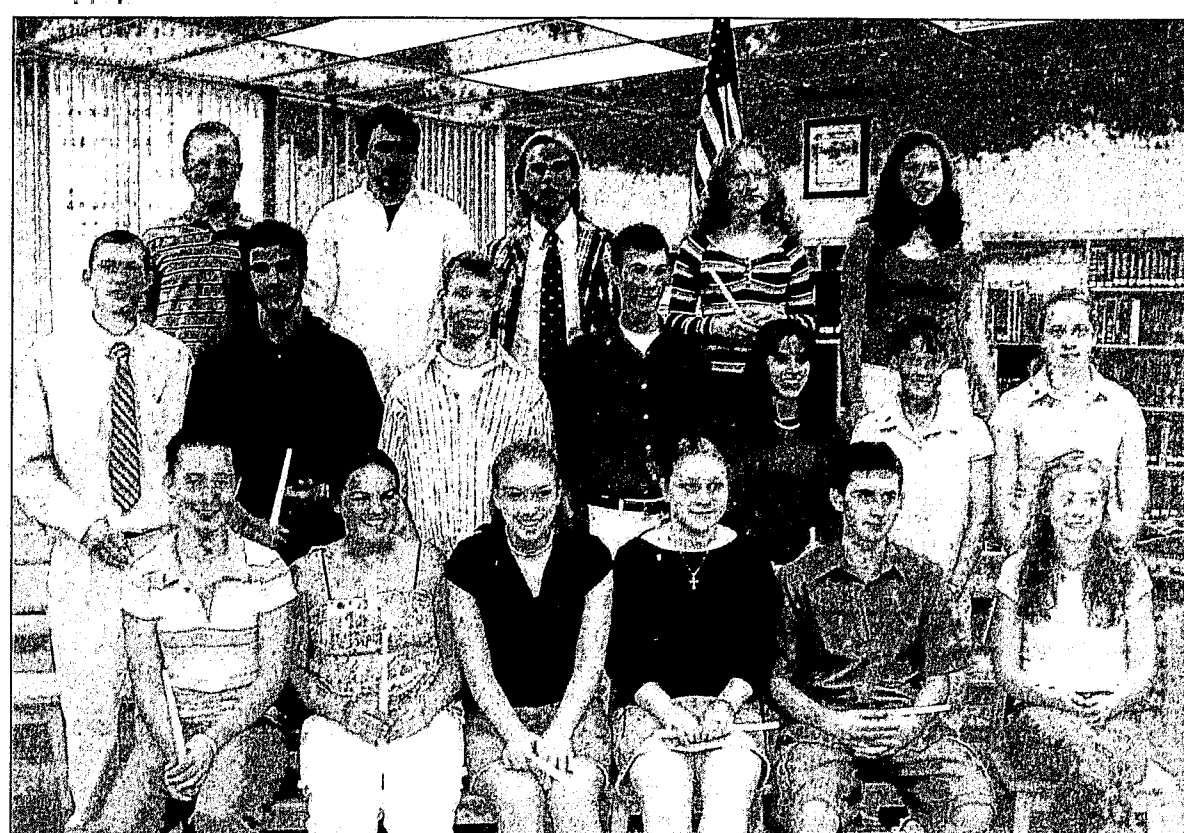
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Sixth, seventh, and eighth grade students from Hebron Academy's Middle School participated in the school's annual science fair. Project topics included everything from the physics of violins, to the effects of music on plant growth, to how a cell phone receives calls. Jack Brink of Bethel, a seventh grade student, did his project on wind power. Seventh-grader Jordan Ramharter of Bethel studied the science behind ski wax. Devon Brown of Newry (above), a seventh grader, researched electric fish. (Photo by Jill Rundie)



TELSTAR NHS INDUCTEES—The formal Telstar High School National Honor Society induction took place last month. Inductees included, front: Jillian Kimball, Elizabeth Rosenberg, Lindsay Hart, Heather Bolstridge, Andy Aloisio, Kayla Mills. Middle: Sean Caddigan, August Reiss, Jason Howe, Ryan Cross, Cynthia Farrington, Tiffany Jordan, Jennifer Learned. Back: Blake Conrad, Glen Carver, Andrew Raymond, April Bolstridge, Kelsey Dole.

From the Oxford County Gem & Mineral Association

On Saturday, July 9 and Sunday, July 10, Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association will hold their 44th annual Western Maine Gem, Mineral and Jewelry Festival at Crescent Park School on Crescent Lane in Bethel.

The show features a wide variety of dealers from Maine as well as across the United States providing outstanding specimens, jewelry, gem rough and more. On display, for sale, will be fine jewelry in both gold and silver as well as fine gems at pieces that will fit every budget.

There are museum quality displays by the dealers and members of the Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association. Included in these displays is a spectacular collection of fluorescent minerals.

A special feature of the show is the guided field trips to a local mine both Saturday and Sunday. This year the field trips for both days will be to the Intergalactic Mine on Deer Hill in Stowe.

In 1993, the Intergalactic Mine was the location of the well-known "Fourth of July" amethyst discovery. This historic find was an important

event in modern mineral collecting. The discovery yielded a fabulous selection of royal purple Maine amethyst. Other minerals that have been collected at the mine include beryl, molybdenite, and quartz points.

The field trip will leave Crescent Park School at 11 a.m. each day. Participants will take their own vehicle and can stay as long as they want.

The cost for each field trip is \$5 per person. Those planning to attend the field trips should bring hand tools for collecting, wear comfortable shoes and bring a lunch.

There are hourly door prizes as well as a grand door prize, which is drawn at the end of the show. The grand door prize this year is a turquoise and silver bracelet that is valued at approximately \$250.

The show runs Saturday, July 9 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Sunday, July 10, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. The cost to attend the show is \$2 for adults and 50 cents for children ages 5 to 12, under 5 is free.

There will also be a mineral swap on July 10 at 5:30 p.m. in the parking lot in front of the school where those who wish to trade their specimens can come and see what other collectors have discovered.

For more information about the field trips and the show, contact Albert Holden at 743-8729.

From the Finnish Amer. Heritage Society

Open House will be held at the Finnish-American Heritage Center, Maple Street, West Paris, every Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. The library, gift shop, and museum will be open. Listen to recordings, view videos, explore history or genealogy. Visit with friends and make new ones over coffee and pastries. The society will be closed on Aug. 21 for the summer social.

From the White Mountain National Forest

Fire lookouts have a proud and important history and they are viewed as a symbol of forest conservation. Although their role in fire detection has changed, lookouts, even abandoned ones, remain popular with visitors and offer opportunities for public involvement in forest conservation programs.

On Saturday, July 9, the White Mountain National Forest will offer a free, guided hike to the Pegawket Fire Tower in North Conway. Local history buff and former Forest Service employee, Dave Govatski will share his

expertise about the history of the area and the role fire towers have played in detecting fires and greeting visitors. He is also a former fire lookout and a member of the Forest Fire Lookout Association.

Meet at the trailhead for the Mount Kearsarge North Trail, located 1.5 miles east of Route 16 on the Hurricane Mountain Road. The start of this road is near the state highway rest area in Intervale, N.H.

The hike is an arduous 6.2 miles in length with a vertical climb of 2,600 feet. Participants should be physically fit. Bring plenty of water, lunch, and good hiking boots. There is no charge for the event and the hike will happen rain or shine.

An evening program, "History of Fire Towers," will be held at the Russell Colbath Barn on Route 112, Canamagus Highway, Conway, N.H., at 7:30 p.m. New Hampshire chapter director of Forest Fire Lookout Association will present a slide show about the historical and personal aspects of fire towers and those who operated them in this area.

These programs are part of a series of walks and talks sponsored by the USDA Forest Service during 2005 in honor of the agency's 100th anniversary.

Each month spotlights a different part of the

forest with a focus on the history, partnerships, and management of the White Mountain National Forest.

The public is cordially invited to join in and help celebrate while learning about the national forest.

In addition to monthly events, the White Mountain National Forest will host a Forest Festival on Aug. 25 at the base of the Mount Washington Auto Road. Plan on joining us in this day-long celebration and enjoying the activities, booths, tours, and more.

For more information, contact the US Forest Service at (603) 528-8721 ext. 0 (TTY 603-528-8722).

The concert will feature Maine performers to benefit the Trek. It will be held on Sunday, July 10, starting at 5 p.m. at Bethel Outdoor Adventure and Campground — www.betheloutdooradventure.com/

next to the Androscoggin River bridge in Bethel — www.bethelmaine.com/ and tickets are \$15. Barbecue and refreshments will be available.

Kicking off the concert will be local favorites, Jewel Clark and Donnie Katlin. Jewel and Donnie enjoy combining their talents as a duo, performing a variety of traditional country, folk, standards, and original music. Jewel will also be

From the Androscoggin River Watershed Council

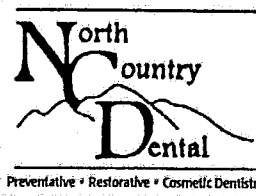
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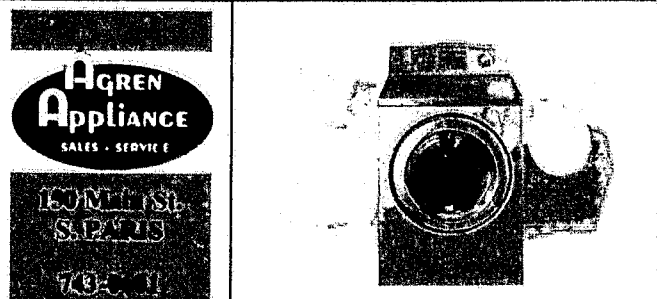
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yodeling, a skill she learned from her father, Country Music Hall of Famer, Yodelin' Slim Clark, who was a pioneer in Maine country music.

Next on the bill are Broface — www.broface.com/ an improvisational power trio playing original instrumental music. Their improvised jams get their footing in the premise that music is a language. Guitarist Pat Malia, along with Jason Rowland on drums and Ted St. Pierre on bass are fluent in musical dialects which run from jazz, to rock, to the ethereal. Spontaneous interplay between the musicians creates music "in-the-moment" that is fun for both the performers and the audience.

Rounding off the evening will be the Denny Breau Trio www.dennybreautrio.com/ who will carry the audience along with them on a musical journey as they perform an eclectic mix ranging from country to blues to bluegrass and everything in between. Musical boundaries disappear as Denny Breau on guitar, Jim McLaughlin on keyboard and accordion, and Tom Zicarelli on tenor and soprano saxophones take their highly improvisational music to wherever the joy and spirit of the moment leads them. Award-winning guitarist and singer-songwriter, Denny was inducted into the Maine Country Music Hall of Fame in May 2004, where he joins his parents, Maine's Hal Lone Pine and Betty Cody.

The Androscoggin River Watershed Council (ARWC) is a nonprofit organization based in both Maine and New Hampshire, dedicated to protecting the natural and historic heritage of the 3,500-square-mile Androscoggin watershed. ARWC works closely with communities, businesses and citizens on a variety of projects to protect this diverse landscape.

Every July, ARWC puts on the Source to the Sea Canoe and Kayak Trek, designed to foster a sense of stewardship for this 170-mile river. ARWC also conducts educational workshops, conferences, and field trips through its new Androscoggin Watershed Institute — www.avcnet.org/arwc/awil.html.

For more information about The Concert for the Androscoggin and the Watershed Council, contact Chuck Knox by e-mail: cknoxarwc@aol.com or phone (603) 466-3433. For info on the Canoe Trek,

contact Barbra Barrett by e-mail: trek@megalink.net, coordinator, 527-2916.

Concert tickets are available during the trek, at Bethel Outdoor Adventure: info@betheloutdooradventure.com, The Outlook, or contact Conni St. Pierre at www.avcnet.org/arwc/conni@smasheasy.com, or 824-3246.

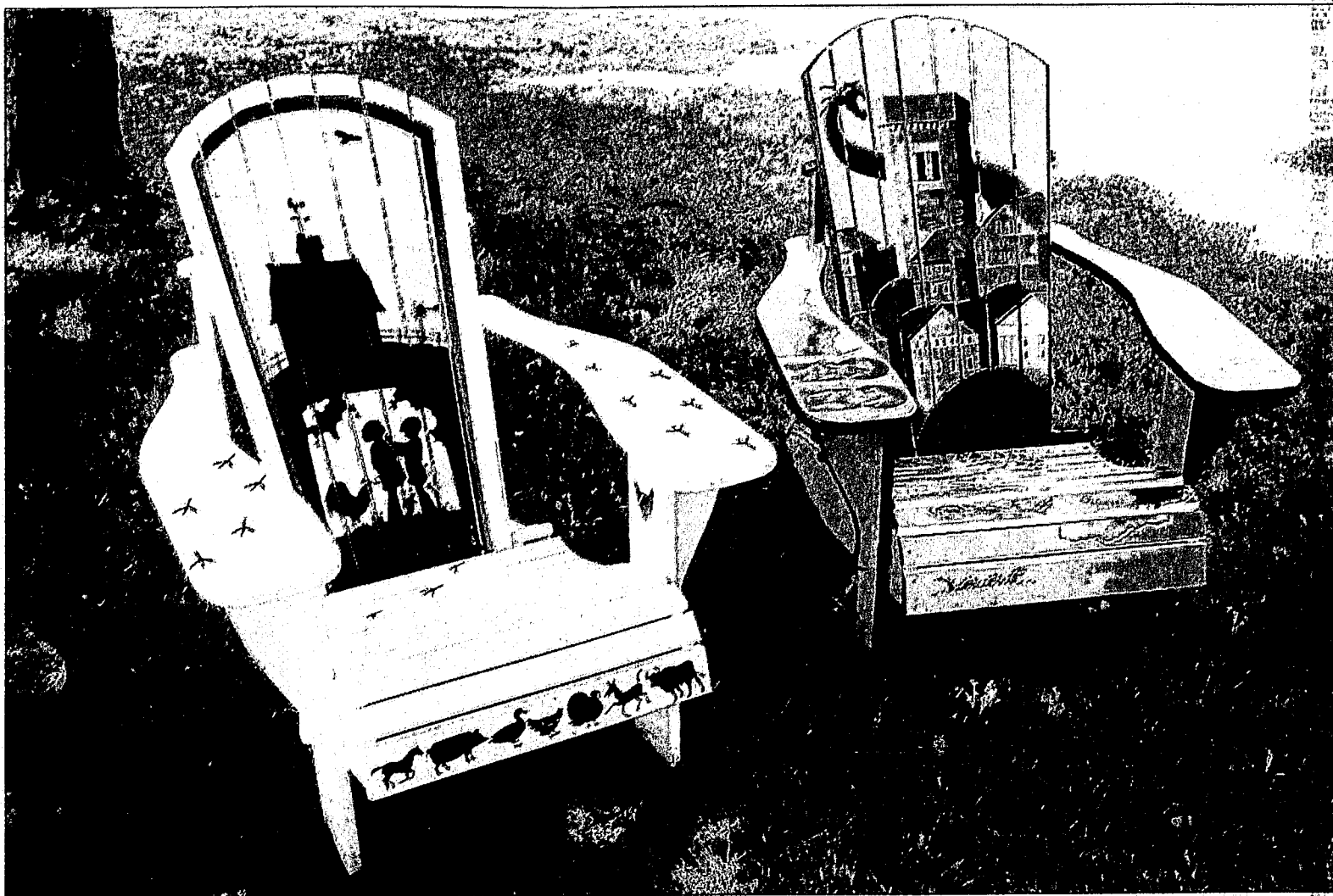
Family reunions

STOWELL FAMILY PICNIC

On June 25, Jen and Jon Head hosted the annual picnic of the descendants of George and Harriett Stowell at their home in West Bethel.

Under hazy skies and blessed with a balmy West Bethel breeze the following folks picnicked and celebrated sister Sara's birthday and brother Mike's belated birthday with singing and merriment:

Jonathan, Renie and son Nathan Stowell from Shirley, Mass.; Sue and Keith Bartlett from Bethel and their grandson Jeffrey K. Bartlett from Sherborn, Mass.; George and Mary Stowell from Falmouth, their daughter Rachel and her husband Bernard Webster from Tucker, Ga., and his daughter Sandra Harris, her husband Jonathan and their daughter Kailey from Portland; Mike and Jean Stowell from Flagler Beach, Fla., and his son Michael, Jr. from Harpers Ferry, W.Va., his daughter Suzanne Zooleck, her husband Ron and their children Zachariah and Isaiah from South Weymouth, Mass.; Peter Stowell and Palmer Curtis from West Gardiner; Brian and Linda Stowell from Bryant Pond; Andy and Marlene Stowell from Alta Loma, Calif.; Becky and Albert Lloyd and son Michael from Rumford; Martha Stowell and her son, Benjamin Hutchins, his wife Kristie and their children Brooke and Caiden from Bryant Pond and her daughter Michelle Sprague, her husband Richard and their children Tia and Andrew; Sara Carson, her son the host, Jonathan, his wife Jennifer and their children, Joshua and Julia, her son Jeremy Head, his wife Sheri and their children Crystelle and Jerome Head and guest Kelsey Heath; John and Fumi Head from Bethel; Bob, Jane, Olivia, Leah and Josiah Rotteri from New Gloucester and Phillip Rolfe from West Bethel.



CHAIRS FOR AUCTION—The Mahoosuc Arts Council will again auction Adirondack chairs, built by Reggie Brown and painted by local artists, to raise funds for its programs. A total of 15 chairs — 10 adult size and five for children — will be on display over the next two weeks in prominent places in Bethel. The auction will take place on Mollycokett Day. Pictured are, left, "Simple Things" by Don Katlin; and "Age of Myth" by Callin Kavanagh. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

Honor roll

TELSTAR HIGH/MIDDLE

The following pupils have been named to the Telstar Regional High/Middle School honor roll for the fourth quarter of the 2004-2005 school year.

GRADE 12

High Honors: Lauren Barletta, Lacey Gammon.

Honors: Nikolas Bennett, William Caswell, Amanda Coolidge, Jennie Cox, Page Daye, Ashley DeFlumere, Frank Emerson, Jasmine Fyrberg, Bethany Howe, Kara Jacques, Jessica James, Joel Lincoln, Peter Reiss, Margaret Wentworth, Kevin Zinchuk.

GRADE 11

Honors: Heather Bolstridge, Mallory Brown, Sean Caddigan, Chea Davis, Kelsey Dole, Cynthia Farrington, Jason Howe, Kimberly Lauro, Elizabeth Rosenberg, Melissa Yasko.

GRADE 10

Honors: April Bolstridge, Joshua Campbell, Jacquelyn Coffin, Kevin Gallagher, Crystal Herrick, Ryan Kimball,

Jennifer Learned, Kenneth Rand, Abigail Wentworth.

GRADE NINE

High Honors: Jessica Yasko.

Honors: Brianna Bailey, Thomas Bordeaux, Bailey Davis, Jennifer DeNormandie, Mark Emerson, Sarah Field, Bobbie Lamontagne, Esther Pew, Joselyn Reiss, Tia Sprague, Julia Stambolis, Andrew Whitney.

GRADE EIGHT

High Honors: Brianna Douglas, Katlyn Keane, Lisa Piccirillo, Seana Siekman.

Honors: Timothy Aguilar, Jennifer Aldrich, Brian Annis, Lance Brown, Richard Brown, Caroline Casey, William Chapman, Kalinda Cox, Benjamin Cross, Michaela Cummings, Frank Del Duca, Margaret DePasquale, Kathryn Driscoll, Hannah Field,

Abbey Gardner, Andrea Gunther, Kassandra Haines, Alex Hebert, Graden Hutchinson, James Kimball, Kelsea Kuvja, Sarah Lavorgna, John Lewis, Elizabeth Meisner, Whitney Mills, Bethany O'Neil, Heather Parker, Kaitlin Roberti, Alyssa Steven, Amber Sumner, Eva Thornton, Bryce Walker.

GRADE SEVEN

High Honors: Megan Bonney, Amber Davis, Meghan Griswold, Jaymee Grover, Stephanie Savage, Cassandra Yasko, Kara Zadakis.

Honors: Tyler Aldrich, Victoria Bobbe, Mariah Bundy, Peter Cowan, Tara Cowin, Desarie Cox, Felicia Dumont, Kaitlynne Gibson, Roxanne Jewell, Molly Keane, Joshua LaCroix, Samantha Largess, Gavin Lee, Michael MacK-night, Christina Morin, Troy Murphy, Kara Penley, John

Pierce, Marion Thurston, Kristilee White.

GRADE SIX

High Honors: Emily DeCarolis, Morgan Lee, Kayla Merrill, Timothy O'Connor, Samantha Southam, Jamie Steven, Katelyn Sumner, Ashley Swan, Samantha Tibbetts.

Honors: Tara Arsenault, Sarah Averill, James Carter, Michael Corriveau, Emma Davis, Cheyanne Day, Kimberlei Dean, Victoria Forkus, William Hinckley, Keegan Hutchinson, Austin Jodrey, Jessica Ladd, Jean Lawrence, Victoria Lowell, Taylor Maines, Hannah Morin, Justyne Myers, Ciara Nadeau, Elek Pew, Shelby Piawlock, Jillian Rice, Melody Royer, Ravin Russell, Ashley Sabins, Simon Smith, Andrew Sprague, Nicena Walker, Asher Wilson.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
The Bethel Board of Selectmen are accepting applications for a School Board Director for SAD#44 for a one year term.
Applications must be submitted to the Town Office by 12PM, Friday, July 8, 2005. Interested persons may call the Town Office at 824-2669 for further information or email info@bethelmaine.org

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Bethel Board of Selectmen are accepting applications for volunteers to serve on the Bethel Airport Authority. This five member board will have openings with the following terms: one to expire 12/31/2005, two to expire 12/31/2006, and two to expire 12/31/2007.
Interested applicants should call for or pick up an application at the town office, 207-824-2669 or info@bethelmaine.org. All applications must be received by noon Friday, July 8, 2005.

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Bethel Planning Board will conduct a Site Walk and Public Hearing for the following Subdivision Application:
Project Name: 'Tall Pines' Subdivision
Applicant: Evco, Inc.
Authorized Agent: Main-Land Development
Location: Map 7, Lot 28
Site Walk: Wednesday, July 13, 2005 at 4:00 p.m. off of the Flat Road
Public Hearing: Wednesday, July 13, 2005 at 6:45pm to be held at the Bethel Town Office meeting room.
The applicant proposes the development of three residential building lots with individual driveway access off of the Flat Road.
The Planning Board invites public comment at the Public Hearing. Information on the proposed development is available for review at The Town Office. Please contact the Planning Assistant at 824-2669 for more information.

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Events Calendar · July 7 - July 23

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by Seniors Plus. Donations for 6 and older and spouses, \$2.50; all other guests, \$4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3591 or 824-3165 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

8 a.m. (Friday) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 440 Main Street, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-5031) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

SCENIC MOOSE & WILDLIFE TOURS — Three-hour tour. Departure daily Gorham Information Booth, Main Street, Gorham, N.H. 8:30 p.m. or Northern Forest Logging Camp & Brown Company House Interpretive Center — self-guided tours at Northern Forest Heritage Park, Route 16, Berlin, N.H. Open Tuesday-Saturday, 11 a.m. — 5 p.m. Admission \$5; under 12 free (with adult). Northern Forest Heritage Park, FMI: (603) 762-7202.

2 to 4 p.m. — Finnish-American Heritage Center, West Paris

Thursday, July 7

8 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Flea Market at Oxford County Fairgrounds, Route 26, Oxford. FMI: 743-9422.

Woodstock/Greenwood Senior Citizens meeting/dinner at Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond. Game party after dinner.

8 to 5 p.m. — Dance Showcase (free) at Norway Town Office lawn. Anyone who would like to perform, call 743-5569 or e-mail artmoves@megalink.net.

5:30 to 6:30 p.m. — Chicken Barbecue at Rumford Point Congregational Church UCC, corner Route 2 and 232. Adults, \$6; children under 12, \$3. 7 p.m. — "George Howe: Mineralogist, Naturalist, Teacher," a lecture by Randall T. King, mineralogist and historian, at Norway Memorial Library, mineralogy at the Norway Memorial Library and the Norway Historical Society. Free and open to the public.

8 p.m. — John McDonald's "A Touch of Maine Humor" at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$14 available at Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; Fare Share Co-Op, Norway; Books N Things, Bethel and at theatre. Biscuitman Celebration with wine and cheese will precede at BackStage Gallery at 6 p.m. FMI: 583-6747.

July 7 to 10

Norway Summer Festival and Art Show in downtown Norway. For updated list of events go to Norway Summer Festival website www.downtownnorway.com or call 739-2215.

Friday, July 8

7:30 p.m. — Art Moves Dance Company Concert at Oxford Hills Comprehensive School. Tickets: \$10 in advance at Books N Things in Oxford and Bethel and Pick-A-Lily in Norway or \$12 at door. 7 to 9 p.m. — "Healing in Community: A Ceremony of Gratitude Bridges" by Bridges To Health & Healing. Experience sacred in community within geodesic dome, and outside with labyrinth and bonfire. Free. Refreshments. Bring blanket or chair. Located at Stuer's property adjacent to Bethel Animal Hospital.

8 p.m. — The Bruce Marshall Band at Deertrees Theatre and Cultural Center, Harrison. Upbeat songs. Tickets: \$16. Box office hours 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. FMI: 583-6747 or visit www.deertreestheatre.org.

Friday and Saturday, July 8 and 9

Newry Bicentennial Celebration. 6:30 to 8 p.m. Friday and 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday. See schedule elsewhere in this paper. FMI: contact the Town office (824-3123).

Book Sale at Norway Memorial Library. 4 to 7 p.m., Friday; 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday at American Legion Post, Main Street, Norway.

Saturday, July 9

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Norway Sidewalk Art Show. Rain date: July 10. FMI or to receive application form: 739-2215 or e-mail maines@megalink.net.

9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. — Bake Sale at Lovell United Church of Christ, Route 5, Center Lovell. Their shop open from 10 to 12 a.m. 9:30 a.m. — Free Drumming Workshop, by two sisters in rhythm from Innana, will be held on the Norway Town Office Lawn. In case of rain it will be held at Art Moves Dance Studio, 13 Cottage Street, Norway. Bring drum and chair.

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Quilt Show at Second Congregational Church, Norway. Quilters wanted to display their quilts. Lobster Luncheon 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

At Sabbathday Lake Shaker Village, New Gloucester (926-4597): Guided tour of Shaker fields, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 to 4 p.m. (\$5 for adults, \$2 for children, pre-registration required, 9 a.m. to 12 noon: Knobs and Hardware. Materials provided. Bring chisel and mallet. Pre-registration required. Woodcutting with Peter Assaly (July 8 and 9, 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). Free. "The History and Fashion of Spectacles," by Janet Parrott of England at 2 p.m. \$5 (reservations required).

11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — At Maine Wildlife Park, Gray: The Creature Catcher. Learn about common local burbeaters, their habits and habitats. Demo on use of h-a-v-a-hart and other live traps. FMI: 657-4977.

11 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Strawberry Festival at Gorham, N.H., Congregational Church, UCC, 143 Main Street. Bake and crafts tables. 2 p.m. — Duck Race vicinity of Advertiser Square, Norway and along waterways to finish. Second heat follows. Corporate ducks to be customized, \$50; individual rubber-ducky ducks, \$5. FMI: 743-2281.

7:30 p.m. — "The Oxford Bears," a presentation by Larry S. Glatz, chairman of the Bicentennial Celebration, at the Dr. Moses Mason House meeting room for everyone interested in learning more about Oxford County history. Free and open to the public.

8 p.m. — "Spousal Deafness," a musical comedy at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$16 available at Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; Fare Share Co-Op, Norway; Books N Things, Bethel. FMI: 583-6747 (box office).

8 to 11 p.m. — Old Fashioned Dance at the Locke Mills Town Hall with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit Greenwood

Historical Society. Everyone welcome.

July 9 and 10

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Sat) and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Sun.) — Locke Mills Gun Show at Jackson-Silver Post 68, Gore Road. 50 tables. Admission: \$3.50; under 12 free.

44th annual Western Maine Gem, Mineral and Jewelry Festival by Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association at Crescent Park School, Bethel. Field trip (11 a.m.) to Interlactic Mine in Stowe (\$5). Bring hand tools and a lunch. The show runs Saturday, July 9 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Sunday, July 10 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Cost: \$2 for adults and 50 cents for children ages 5 to 12, under five free. FMI: contact Albert Holden at 743-9728.

4 p.m. — Bethel Bandstand Concerts will feature the lively music of Boreal Tordu as the first of four Sunday afternoon shows. Boreal Tordu is an original blend of Acadian folk, Cajun swing, maritime ballads, crooked fiddle tunes and foot-stomping French dance music. Free. Bring lawn chair. Rain site: Bingham Auditorium at Gould Academy.

Saturdays, July 9 and 16

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — "Partners in Caring-Families and Caregivers for Child Care Providers" workshop (2 sessions) sponsored by Community Concepts at 19 Market Square, South Paris. Fee: \$15. FMI on other workshops this summer: Kathleen or Jane at (800)-543-7008.

July 9-16

How to Handle Backcountry Emergencies, sponsored by Bethel Outdoor Adventure, is 72-hour, hands-on Wilderness First Responder course. FMI: call Jeff Parsons at 824-4224, toll free at 888/WILDMED or visit www.wildmed.com.

Sunday, July 10

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Antiques Show and Sale at Lovell Historical Society, Route 5. \$3. Certified appraiser will give free appraisals up two items. Food, beverages available. FMI: 925-1238.

9:30 a.m. (registration) — West Paris Downhill Derby Racing at Derby Hill, Kingsbury Street. Race takes place 11 a.m. Derby Snack Shack open, 50/50. Children 7 to 17. Spare cars available. Please call Cindi (674-3507) or Nancy (674-2836) to reserve.

4 p.m. — Bethel Bandstand Concert: "Boreal Tordu" performance on Bethel Common. Free. Bring lawn chair. Rain site: Bingham Hall, Gould Academy.

5 p.m. — 10th annual Source to the Sea Canoe Trek and The Concert for the Androscoggin sponsored by Androscoggin River Watershed Council at Bethel Outdoor Adventure and Campground. Tickets: \$15. Barbecue and refreshments available. FMI: The Concert for the Androscoggin (Chuck Knox — cknox@androsco.com or (603) 466-9453) or Canoe Trek (Barbara Barrett — trekt@androsco.com or 527-2916). Concert tickets available during trek at Bethel Outdoor Adventure (info@betheloutdooradventure.com); The Outlook, or contact Conn St. Pierre at www.avnet.org/arwc/conn@smashhevy.com or 824-3246.

July 10-13

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. — Outdoor Luggage Sale at Ledgeview Living Center, West Paris. No early birds.

Tuesday, July 12

Annual Rotary/Chamber Golf Tournament at Oakdale Country Club, Rumford. 18-hole, four-ball scramble. Players and sponsorship opportunities. FMI: call Rich (364-7866 ext. 2110 or Janet at 364-3555).

5:30 p.m. — Oxford County Republicans annual picnic at Stan Howe's residence, Broad Street, Bethel. BBQ at 6:30 p.m. All Republicans and interested citizens welcome to attend.

6 p.m. to 8 p.m. — Reiki Shares at Spirit Wings, 57 Main Street, Bethel. Open to all Reiki practitioners from all lineages and levels.

Telstar Alumni Association meeting at Telstar Regional High School.

7 p.m. — Classical Chamber Music, by International Musical Arts Institute, Fryburg Academy, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 113 Main Street, Lancaster, N.H. FMI and details: (603) 786-4564.

8 p.m. — Sebago Lake Music Festival at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. FMI: 388-2241 or e-mail info@SebagoMusicFestival.org.

Wednesday, July 13

11 a.m. — Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting/luncheon at the Swimming Hole on North Road. Members should bring their own picnic lunch.

2 p.m. — Monica Wood, one of Maine's most promising authors, will be guest of Western Mountains Senior College and will review her book, "Any Bitter Thing," at Garland Chapel, West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel. For more information, call Jackie Cressy at 824-0508.

6 p.m. — Bethel Recreational Riders ATV Club meeting at Deb Lutton's, 117 Flat Road. With the new ATV laws regarding landowners permission, the state encourages ATV owners be affiliated with a club to establish and maintain a trail system. FMI: 836-3241.

8 p.m. — "Leave No Trace" A presentation of White Mountain National Forest Wednesday Night with a Ranger program at Appalachian Mountain Club's Pinkham Notch Visitor Center, Route 16, 11 miles south of Gorham, N.H. FMI: (603) 466-2713 or (603) 466-2721.

July 13-16

Harrison Old Home Days.

Thursday, July 14

8 p.m. — Tom Snow, jazz pianist, with Ralph Norris on sax, John Lockwood, bass, and Jim Gwin, drums, at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets available at Cool Moose, Bridgton; The Country Sleigh, Naples; Fare Share Co-Op, Norway; Books N Things, Bethel and at 583-6747 (Box



"A Concert for the Androscoggin" will be held Sunday, July 10

To commemorate the 10th anniversary of the Source to the Sea Canoe Trek and to help raise awareness about the Androscoggin River Watershed Council, the trek's sponsor. The concert, which will benefit the trek, will feature Maine performers Jewel Clark and Donnie Katlin, Broface, and the Denny Breau Trio. The concert will be held riverside, at Bethel Outdoor Adventures (located next to the Route 2 bridge), and will begin at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$15. Barbeque and refreshments will be available. For more details, see story on page 1.

Office).

Friday, July 15

3 to 6 p.m. — Fine Art Show Special Artist Reception at Harvest Gold Gallery, Route 5, Center Lovell. Art show will be at Harvest Gold Gallery July 15 thru Aug. 31. FMI: www.harvestgoldgallery.com or harvestgold@pivot.net or 925-6502.

Saturday, July 16

Mollycodd Day in Bethel. Activities for everyone. See detailed schedule in this paper on July 14.

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Telstar Car Show. Cars, trucks, motorcycles, tractors. 21 classes. \$2 spectator fee. Proceeds benefit Telstar students.

Grange Fair at Franklin Grange 124, Bryant Pond. Food, lunch, Christmas in July, rented tables, grab bags, items for children, music outdoors by Richard Felt Band.

9 a.m. to 12 noon or 1 to 3 p.m. — Family Farm Days: Culinary Herbs demonstration at Sabbathday Lake Shaker Village, New Gloucester. 10 years to older welcome. Fee: \$10 (re-registration required). FMI: 926-4597.

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Flea Market at Woodstock Historical Society, Bryant Pond. FMI: 665-2450 or 743-8035.

10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. — Spinning demonstration with R & R Spinners at Sabbath Day Lake Shaker Village, New Gloucester. Free. FMI: 926-4597.

Noon to 4 p.m. — Maine Wildlife Park Gallery Grand Opening. Streaked Mountain Wood Carvers will be featured. The gallery will be open Thursdays through Sundays from noon to 4 p.m. until the end of August. FMI: 657-4977.

7 p.m. — "An Evening of Music" at William Reich Museum, Rangleley.

July 18-22

William Reich and Orgone Energy: Looking Back, Moving Forward" conference at William Reich Museum, Rangleley.

Tuesday, July 19

5 to 6:30 p.m. — Public Supper at North Waterford Congregational

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study: 6:30 Wednesdays at the church.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Pastor Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. Tuesday - Sunday School 9:45-11. All are welcome. FMI - 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor John O'Keefe. Morning worship at 10:30. Sunday School, 9:30. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m., Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

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Bethel Alliance Church- Pastor Kevin Bellinger (824-2289). Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9am; Morning worship service at 10am; Kidz Klub (4th-5th grade) and Youth Group (6th-12th grade) at 5:30pm; Evening service at 6pm Wednesdays; Prayer fellowship at 7pm.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. Wednesday evening prayer service, 7pm. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickman. 9:30 a.m. worship Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m. FMI call 824-0550.

Our Lady of the Snows- Mass Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Pastor: Rev. Gerald A. Levesque. 743-2606

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday School. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. There is also an adult study group during Sunday School.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-2844 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally. 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. Awana Clubs. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamal, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3577 FMI.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church - Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at North Waterford (through winter). Sunday School, 10 a.m. Second Sunday: Vesper Service, 7pm at North Waterford. Rev. George Froberg, 683-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levisen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 603-466-2851.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 998-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines Sunday morning service will be at 9 a.m.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5881.

NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanson, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April).

Sunday River Christian Ministry - Rev. Don Coverdale. On-mountain interdenominational worship service held every Sunday. Next service will be Columbus Day 2005. Come as you are, for service of peace, prayer and praise. 824-6936.

NORWAY/PARIS

Christian Science Church - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 440 Main Street, Norway. Call 824-4099 for info or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday morning service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyrner. 674-2965. Singersation third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St. Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.; Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour will follow the service. Fellowship lunch will be held the

first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship. (Sept - June) Rev. Joy Gasta.

Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - Mass, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Canon Henry Male, Jr. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Sunday School 9:00 a.m., Sunday worship service at 10:00 a.m. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00 p.m. East Andover Rd. For more information, call 364-3856.

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational- Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - Rev. Joy Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept - mid-June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m., Bruce Tyrner, Pastor. Sunday School Freshman thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m., Monday Diaconette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi Weekly 9:30-11:30am, Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm, church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hodgkins. Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock). Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the unprogrammed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome. First Day School activities provided for children. Call Arla Patch 665-2224 FMI.

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Closed Women's Speaker/Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6:30 at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Step Meeting. Fridays at 6pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

Al-Anon Meeting Mondays at 8pm at the Oxford Advent Christian Church (use the north side entrance of the church)

ALCOHOL/DRUG TREATMENT

Community Concepts' Alcohol & Drug Counseling Program is now accepting appointments in Bethel every Thursday and Friday. MaineCare welcome. DEEP certified. Call 364-3721 for appointment. Community Concepts is a non-profit organization with a mission to "help people build opportunities for a better tomorrow."

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 14pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2225 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Meets Tuesday in the conference room at the Mexico Congregational UCC ("The Green Church"), 153 Main Street, Mexico. Everything spoken and heard here is confidential. Anyone trying to cope with the loss of a loved one is welcome. FMI call Sue Byam at 864-8185

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford

CABLE LINE-UP						
2 PEG - Public Access	13 CBS - WGME	24 Fox Sports Net	35 Fox News	47 USA	57 Travel Channel	66 ABC Family
3 UPN - WPME	14 QVC	25 ESPN	36 CNN Cable News Network	48 TBS	58 EWTN - Eternal Word Television Network	67 Nickelodeon
4 FOX - WFPO	15 Home Shopping Network	26 ESPN 2	37 Headline News	49 Oxygen	59 Hallmark	68 Disney Channel
5 Local Access	16 PEG - Educational	27 Great American Country	38 CNBC	50 A&E - Arts & Entertainment	60 TBN - Trinity Broadcast Network	69 Animal Planet
6 NBC - WCSH	17 Shop NBC	28 MTV - Music Television	40 MSNBC	51 AMC - American Movie Classics	61 The History Channel	70 Sci-Fi Channel
7 PEG - Educational	18 TV Guide Channel	29 VH1	41 Court TV	52 Ovation - Fine Arts TV	62 TLC - The Learning Channel	71 TV5 - French Television
8 ABC - WMTW	19 C-Span	30 Lifetime - TV for Women	42 TCM - Turner Classic Movies	53 Bravo	63 Discovery Channel	72 PIN
9 ADELPHIA 9	20 C-Span 2	31 Spike TV - TV for Men	43 Movie Plex	54 E!	64 TV Land	73 Inspirational TV Network
10 MPBN - WCBB	21 PAX TV	32 Country Music Television	44 TNT - Turner Network TV	55 HGTV - Home & Garden	65 BET - Black Entertainment TV	74 Cartoon Network
11 PBS - WENH	23 NESN - New England Sports Net	33 Weather Channel	45 Comedy Central	56 Food Network		
12 WB - WPXT		34 NECN - NE Cable News	46 FX Network			

THURSDAY EVENING JULY 7, 2005										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	WWE SmackDown!				Dr. Phil		Fear Factor	
(32)	Smallville		Movie: "Dirty Dancing"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207 Mag	Seinfeld	Joey	Joey	Will-Grace	Will-Grace	ER		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Reign of Fire"				PrimeTime Live		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Old House	Made In	Antiques Roadshow		Nova		Charlie Rose	
(22)	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Baltimore Orioles						Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		MXC	MXC	MXC	MXC	Wildest Police Videos	
13	Ent. Tonight	The Insider	Big Brother 6		CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace		News	
(41)	Sports	Sports List	Poker Million '05		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Movie: "Runaway Jury" Cont'd				Movie: "The Girl in the Cafe"			First Look	Cathouse	Comeback
(17)	So Raven	So Raven	Movie: "Now You See It..."				Dragon	Sister, Sis.	So Raven	So Raven
(18)	Flirting	White Cane	Movie: "S.W.A.T."				Movie: "Breakin' All the Rules"		Pleasure	
(20)	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Baltimore Orioles						Innings	Extra Inn	SportsDesk	SportsPlus
(44)	Movie: "Cruel Justice"				Killer Instinct: From the Files of Candice				Golden	Golden
(5)	Raymond	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves						Movie: "Zoolander"		
(24)	Oddparents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Romeo!	Full House	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.
(25)	Movie: "Witness" Cont'd		Movie: "Silverado"				Movie: "Nevada Smith"			
(26)	Monk		Law & Order: SVU		Movie: "Get Shorty"				Players	
(27)	American Justice		Cold Case Files				The First 48		Crossing Jordan	
(12)	Will-Grace	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves						WGN News	Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now			Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

FRIDAY EVENING JULY 8, 2005											
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Red Sox	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Baltimore Orioles						Red Sox Postgame	Dance 360		
(32)	Smallville	Movie: "Harry and the Hendersons"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club			
6	207 Mag	Seinfeld	Dateline NBC				Trial by Jury		News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	8 Rules	Hope	Less Than	20/20	News				
10	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine.	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Served	NOW	Charlie Rose		
(22)	SportsCtr.	Bowling	PBA Bowling		PBA Bowling		Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter		
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Most Amazing Videos		CSI: Crime Scn		
13	Ent. Tonight	The Insider	60 Minutes II		JAG		NUMB3RS		News		
(41)	Sports	Baseball	Poker Superstars		Best Damn Sports Show		Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show		
(15)	Movie: "Big Fish" Cont'd			Chocolate		Costas NOW		Six Feet Under		Bad Boys	Def Poetry
(17)	So Raven	So Raven	So Raven	So Raven	Movie: "Kim Possible: So the Drama"				So Raven	So Raven	
(18)	"Jennifer Eight" Cont'd		Movie: "Starsky & Hutch"				Movie: "Man on Fire"				
(20)	Pregame		MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Baltimore Orioles					Innings	Extra Inn	SportsDesk	
(44)	Movie: "Sex and the Single Mom"				Movie: "More Sex & the Single Mom"				Movie: "Trial by Fire"		
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Legally Blonde"			Friends	Friends		
(24)	Avatar	Avatar	Avatar	Avatar	Avatar	Avatar	Full House	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Cosby	
(25)	"K-19: The Widowmaker" Cont'd			Movie: "Iron Eagle"			Movie Club Friday 13				
(26)	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Monk	Law & Order: SVU			
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Biography		Biography		American Justice		
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	Movie: "Hidden Agenda"			WGN News at Nine		Becker	Becker		
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight			

SATURDAY EVENING JULY 9, 2005									
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00 11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Rock Star"				Veronica Mars		Unexplained Mysteries
(32)	"The Beverly Hillbillies"		Movie: "Nothing to Lose"				Whose?	Whose?	Videos Videos
6	Maine	Seinfeld	Battlestar Galactica		Battlestar Galactica		News		Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "The Emperor's New Groove"				Funniest Home Videos		News CSI
10	Made In	Maine Art	Battlefield Britain		Final Hours		The Quest	Red Green	Red Green
(22)	Horse Racing: Hollywood Gold Cup		Boxing: 1975 Ali vs. Frazier III		Baseball Tonight			SportsCenter	
(34)	Most Amazing Videos		Movie: "Ronin"				MXC	WWE Velocity	
13	Entertainment Tonight		48 Hours Mystery		Cold Case		48 Hours Mystery		News Andromeda
(41)	Track	ShipShape	FLW Outdoors		Poker Superstars		Sports List	Knockouts	World Poker Challenge
(15)	Movie: "Grind" Cont'd		Anchorman: Legend of Ron			The Island	Ask Dr. Baden	Enlourage	Chris Rock
(17)	Suite Life	So Raven	Click It to Pick It				Phil	Naturally	Suite Life So Raven
(18)	"The Rundown" Cont'd		Movie: "Men in Black"				Movie: "I, Robot"		
(20)	CFL Football: Saskatchewan Roughriders at Toronto Argonauts						SportsDesk	SportsPlus	2005 The Tradition
(44)	Movie: "Our Mother's Murder"				Movie: "Amber Frey: Witness for the Prosecution"				Wild Card
(5)	"Save the Last Dance"		Movie: "Legally Blonde"				Movie: "Save the Last Dance"		
(24)	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Catscratch	Catscratch	Catscratch	Catscratch	Full House	Full House	Fresh Pr. Cosby
(25)	"Iron Eagle" Cont'd		Movie: "Platoon"				Movie: "Hamburger Hill"		
(26)	The 400		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI
(27)	City Confidential		City Confidential		Cold Case Files		American Justice		
(12)	MLB Baseball: Oakland Athletics at Chicago White Sox						WGN News at Nine		Becker Dark
(39)	On the Story		CNN 25		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		CNN 25

SUNDAY EVENING JULY 10, 2005									
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00 11:30
(3)	70s Show	70s Show	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Red Sox	Red Sox	McCarver Ranger
(32)	Harry Potter-Sorcerer's		Movie: "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone"						Videos
6	Dateline NBC				Law Order: CI		Crossing Jordan		News Seinfeld
8	Makeover: Home		Makeover: Home		Desperate Housewives		Grey's Anatomy		News Practice
10	Violent Planet		Nature		Mystery!		Made In	Business	To Contrary
(22)	Baseball Tonight		MLB Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at San Francisco Giants						SportsCenter
(34)	WWE Sunday Night Heat		Movie: "The World Is Not Enough"						"You Only Live Twice"
13	60 Minutes		Cold Case		Movie: "Open House"		News		Friends
(41)	Poker Superstars		Poker Superstars		Boxing: Sunday		Knockouts	Sports List	Poker Million '05
(15)	Johnson Family Vacation		The Sopranos		Six Feet Under		Enlourage	Comeback	Movie: "Troy"
(17)	Suite Life	So Raven	Movie: "My Date With the President's Daughter"			Phil	Naturally	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	Don't Be a Menace to South Central			Movie: "House of 1000 Corpses"		Movie: "Contact"			
(20)	Boston vs. New York Poker Challenge			Outdoors	Outdoors	Port 'O Call	SportsDesk	The Ride	Golf Golfing
(44)	Movie: "Twisted Desire"				Strong Medicine		Missing		Missing
(5)	"Overboard" Cont'd		Movie: "Legally Blonde"			Movie: "Legally Blonde"			
(24)	School	Unfabulous	Zoey 101	Romeo!	Kids Say	Full House	Fatherhood	Full House	Full House
(25)	Movie: "Airplane!" Cont'd		Movie: "Airplane!"			Movie: "The Blues Brothers"			
(26)	Movie: "Six Days, Seven Nights"				The 4400		The Dead Zone		Law & Order: SVU
(27)	Crossing Jordan		Family	Family	Family	Family	Intervention	CSI: Miami	
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	Movie: "Grand Canyon"			WGN News		Replay	Maximum Exposure
(39)	People in the News		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents

MONDAY EVENING JULY 11, 2005										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	One	All of Us	Girlfriends	Half & Half	Dr. Phil		Fear Factor	
(32)	Smallville		Wildfire		Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207 Mag	Seinfeld	Fear Factor		Las Vegas		Medium		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	The Scholar		Movie: "Meet the Parents"				News	
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		History Detectives		Guns, Germs and Steel		Charlie Rose	
(22)	Baseball Tonight		MLB Baseball: 2005 Home Run Derby				Softball: All-Star Legends		SportsCenter	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		WWE Raw				Most Amazing Videos	
13	Ent. Tonight	The Insider	Raymond	Two Men	Rock Star: INXS		CSI: Miami		News	
(41)	Ultimate Fighting Champ.		Ultimate Fighting Champ.		Ultimate Fighting Champ.		Sports	Sports	Ultimate Fighting Champ.	
(15)	"Runaway Jury" Cont'd		Sex & City	Sex & City	Comeback	Entourage	Six Feet Under		Def Poetry	Cathouse
(17)	So Raven	So Raven	Movie: "The Lion King 1 1/2"				Phil	Sister, Sis.	So Raven	So Raven
(18)	"Breakin' All the Rules"		Movie: "I, Robot"				Movie: "Selena"			
(20)	Poker Challenge		Boston vs. New York Poker Challenge				SportsDesk	Red Sox	ESPNNews	
(44)	Movie: "Murder at 75 Birch"				Movie: "Murder in the Hamptons"				How Clean	How Clean
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Fast Times at Ridgemont	
(24)	Oddparents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Drake	Full House	Full House	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby
(25)	"Easy Money" Cont'd		Movie: "Office Space"				Movie: "National Lampoon's Animal House"			
(26)	Law & Order: SVU		Movie: "Liar Liar"				Monk		Law & Order: SVU	
(27)	Cold Case Files		Mark Hacking		Gotti	Gotti	Airline	Airline	Crossing Jordan	
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	McMillan and Wife				WGN News at Nine		Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

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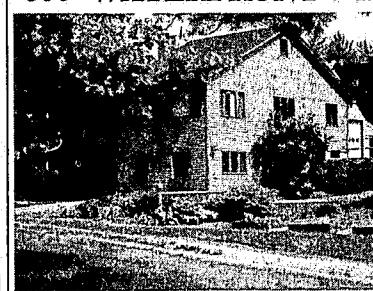
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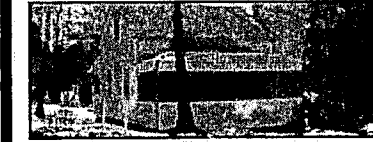


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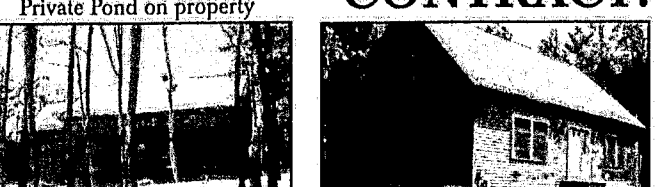
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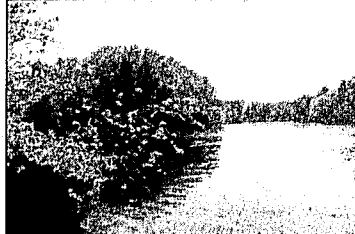
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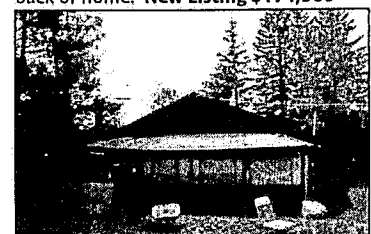
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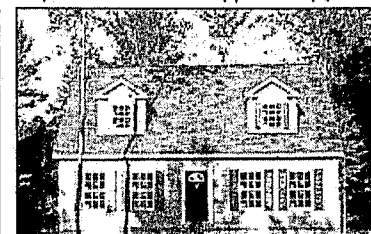
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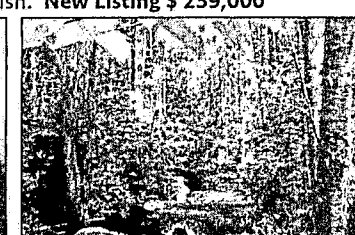
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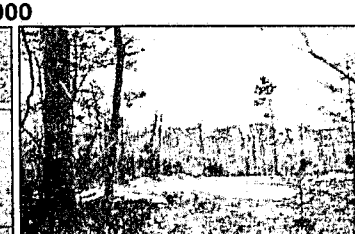
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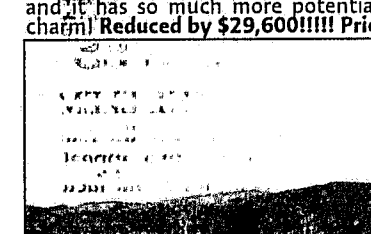
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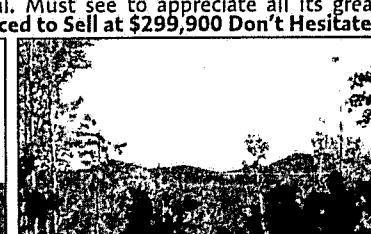
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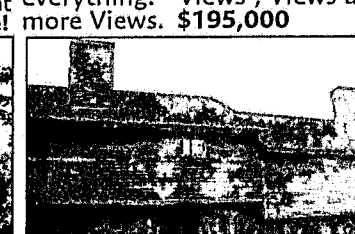
South Ridge- This townhouse complex is one of the most sought after. This 2 bedroom 2 level townhouse has gas stove with brick hearth. Beautiful views of the ski slopes and walk to ski trail access. New Price \$289,900



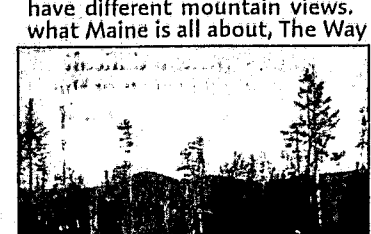
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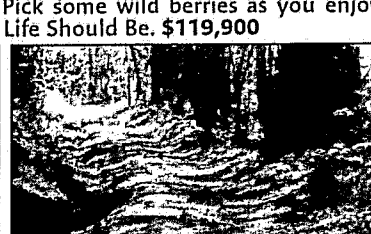
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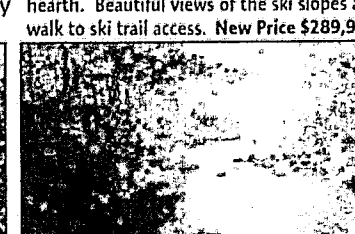
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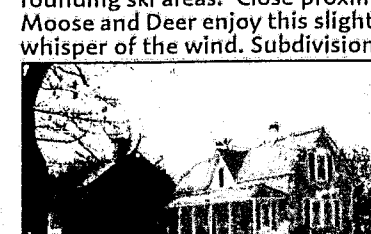
105 Acres with Stream- This property is located in Milton Township, rural but not too far from surrounding ski areas. Close proximity to Concord Pond. Nice views with some of nature's creatures like Moose and Deer enjoy this slightly sloped parcel of land. Listen to the water in the stream or the quiet whisper of the wind. Subdivision potential or just own your own big piece of Maine! \$179,900



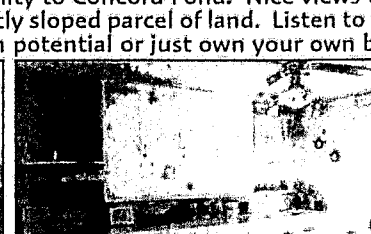
Wonderful home located near White Mountain National Forest, Androscoggin Boat Launch and Ski Areas. Home is well maintained with plenty of space. New siding, windows and roof. Great barn with fenced in area. Nice open yard. \$198,500



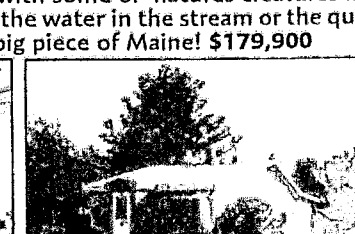
Norway- Patch Mountain Road- Bungalow- Located in past neighborhood with small, well kept, clean, and outbuilding. Neatly landscaped, a well maintained, efficient to heat warm wooden interior, attract kitchen. Close proximity to Newry, A shopping Two major ski areas, snowmobile trails nearby, many outdoor activities. New Listing \$130,000



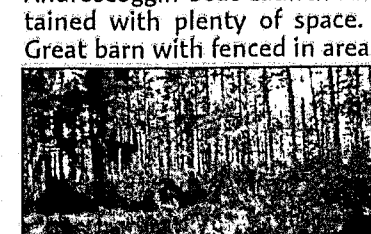
Bethel-Beginning of Grover Hill- Great location and property has town water and sewer! Walk to the Bethel Inn and its Golf course. Up to 5 units could be put on this lot! Great investment! New Listing \$99,000



Anglers- your dream come true! Drop your fly fishing line into the Little Androscoggin River virtually outside your living room door! Nest three bedroom home with 700' of river frontage, porches on upper and lower level. Two major ski areas/snowmobile trails nearby. New Listing \$139,900



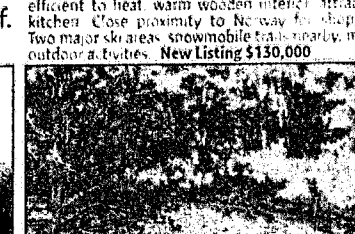
HOUSE LOTS & LAND



Powder Ridge-Views, views, views-White Heat, Locke Mountain, Spruce Peak & Aurora Peak. Imagine designing a home on this 1+ acre lot to encompass all of these! Preliminary set of architectural drawings included with price of land. New Listing \$88,900



10.39+/- Acres Greenwood- Located on a paved road in a quiet location makes this property perfect to put your future home. \$29,900.



5+/- Acres Greenwood- Great spot with elbow room. Make this your year-round home or vacation spot. \$25,900



7 Acres- Woodstock- Nice even parcel of land with mixture of trees old and young. Quiet setting for your future home or get-a-way. \$38,900



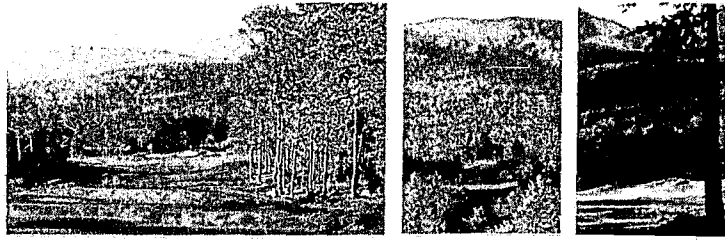
Gravel Pit and Land- Rt 232 8.059 Surveyed Acres- Brook-50,000 cubic yards of gravel/sand, then divide into a couple of nice house lots. \$59,000



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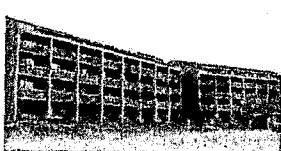
Mahoosuc Glen at the Sunday River Golf Club
A limited number of lots are now available at the Sunday River Golf Club. These spectacular lots offer sweeping vistas, and a unique opportunity to build a true four-season vacation home with immediate access to the best skiing and golf in New England. 27 lots available from \$185,000 to \$299,999.



THE GRAND RESORT HOTELS

Our Grand Summit and Jordan Grand Resort Hotels represent the pinnacle of mountain living at Sunday River. Discover all the amenities of a full-service hotel and all the convenience of a slopeside location. And with Crown Club Ownership, your vacation home can travel with you anywhere around the world. Prices start at \$16,900 for a studio up to \$179,000 for a penthouse.

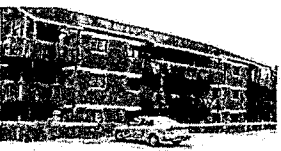
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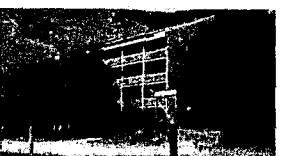
Brookside II
B-304 1 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD
A-109 1 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD
A212 Studio/1Bth \$94,000
A214 Studio/1Bth \$97,900



South Ridge
F-6 3 Bdrm/1.5 Bth \$319,000
J-6 3 Bdrm/2 Baths SOLD



White Cap
B-412 1 Bdrm/1 Bth PENDING
A-406 1 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD



Cascades
B-25 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD
C-11 1 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD
A-21 1 Bdrm/1Bth SOLD



Locke Mountain
A-2 3 Bdrm/3.5 Bth PENDING
I-1 SOLD
E-2 SOLD



North Peak
NPI-203 SOLD
NPI-105 2 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD
NPIII-301 2 Bdrm/1Bth PENDING
NPIII-209 2 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD



Fall Line
N-105 1 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD
N-104 1 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD
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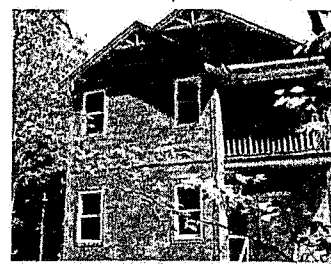
Sunrise
C-129 1 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD
C-101 1 Bdrm/1 Bth SOLD

CONDOMINIUMS



Mountain Vista Townhomes:
The Sunday River Valley's newest town home development is just moments from any of Sunday River Resorts Base lodges & the resort's spectacular new Sunday River Golf Club with its Robert Trent Jones, Jr. designed 18 hole course! When you own a Mountain Vista condo you can enjoy all the activities of this premier mountain resort without paying on-mountain prices. During the winter you will have the ability to take advantage of riding the Mountain Explorer for free to the resort or to Bethel. In addition to golf, summer brings fishing or swimming in the Sunday River itself, along with a myriad of hiking & biking trails. With only 15 3-bedroom 2 1/2 bath units available, now is the time to make your move & enjoy pre-construction pricing. Construction begins in the spring of 2005. Preconstruction prices start at \$319,900! Call for Details!

HOMES



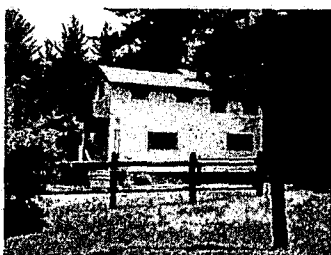
Sunday Valley Acres:
Low maintenance Contemporary Home to be completed in very sought after neighborhood near Sunday River Ski Resort and Bethel Village with all their amenities. Wood interior, granite countertops, 2 fireplaces (one in the master bedroom), walk-out basement with plumbing, and much more. You won't want to miss out on this opportunity! Call for Details and a Viewing!
\$385,000



Bear River Road, Newry:
Don't miss this cozy cabin in the woods with over 200 feet of Bear River frontage and views of Sunday River Ski Resort! It combines rustic mountain living with the elegance of a ski home. Not yet complete, this home offers a perfect opportunity for Buyer to include their own finishing touches.
\$350,000



Monkey Brook Road, Newry:
Looking for a vacation get away? Look no further! This newly constructed, 4 bedroom, 3 bath home is the perfect spot! Nestled between Sunday River's new 18 hole championship golf course and the legendary ski slopes, this home is a keeper. Call for More Details!
\$385,000



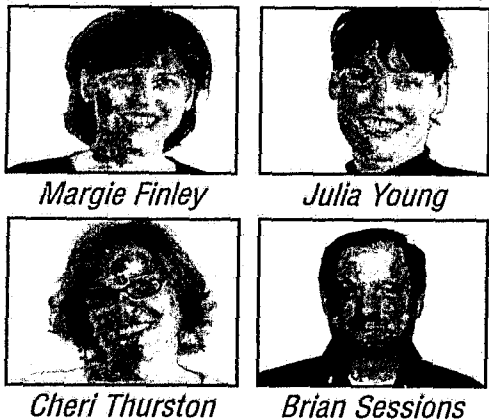
Silver Lake, Roxbury:
Two for the price of one! Find this year round, 3 Bedroom, 1 Bath home situated on 2+/- acres of land located within walking distance to Silver Lake. Add to this a classic screened summer camp in which you can laze around during the warm summer days, or invite family and friends over to enjoy a nice visit while allowing you all the privacy everyone will enjoy. All of this for only \$100,000

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- Minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort
- Views of Sunday River
- Five Minutes to Sunday River Golf Club

Lot #35 1.60 Acres \$79,000
Lot #47 2.00 Acres \$75,000
Lot #77 1.58 Acres \$65,000
Lot #104-2 5.93 Acres \$235,000

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Lot #28 2.03 Acres \$120,000

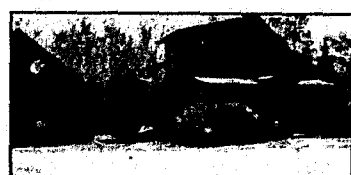
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SUNSET HILL

- Walking Distance to Bethel Village
- Minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort

Lot #1 \$89,000 Lot #5 SOLD
Lot #6 SOLD Lot #8 SOLD
Lot #9 SOLD Lot #10 SOLD

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250 VERNON ST., BETHEL \$179,000

- True Log Cabin
- 2 +/- Open Acres
- Deck & Hot Tub
- Cathedral Ceilings
- Open Country Kitchen

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DEER ROAD, NEWRY \$239,000

- 4 Bedroom / 2 1/2 Bath
- 1 +/- Acre Property
- 2 Car Garage
- Cape Style Home
- En Route to Sunday River Golf Club

Contact: MARGIE FINLEY



28 HOWARD POND RD, HANOVER \$249,000

- 3 Bedroom / 2 Bath
- New England
- 1/2 +/- Acres
- Spacious Rooms, Hardwood Flooring
- Walking Distance to Howard Pond

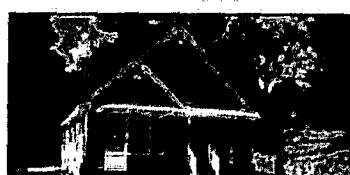
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87 PERKINS VALLEY RD, WOODSTOCK \$125,000

- 3 Bedroom Plus Loft Office Area
- Situated on 2.6 +/- Acres
- Living Room w/Woodstove
- Deck & Detached 1 Car Garage
- Attractively Remodeled Cape Style Home

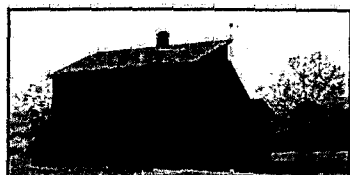
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37 MILL HILL RD, BETHEL \$269,000

- 3-4 Bedrooms/2 Baths
- Spacious 1770+ Sq Ft of Living Space
- Partially Furnished
- Quiet Bethel Village Home
- Walk to Golf, Village Common & Restaurants

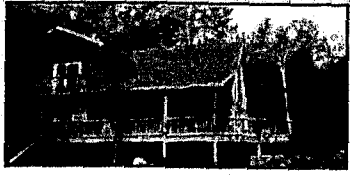
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1220 INTERVALE RD, BETHEL \$329,000

- 3 Bedroom / 2 Bath
- Androscoggin River Frontage
- 6.7 Acres
- Potential for Development
- Vaulted Ceilings

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59 RIVER VALLEY ACRES, BETHEL \$379,000

- 4 Bedroom / 3 1/2 Bath
- Master Bedroom w/Jacuzzi
- In-Law Apartment
- Log Sided w/Overized Deck
- Minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort

Contact: CHERI THURSTON



BABS WAY, BETHEL \$279,000

- 4 Bedroom / 4 Bath
- Large Deck
- Daylight Basement
- Gas Fireplace
- Private Location w/Views

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1776 ROUTE 2, RUMFORD POINT \$140,000

- 3 Bedroom / 1 Bath
- 12 +/- Acres
- 1824 Circa Cape
- Art Studio - Apartment Potential
- Close to Black Mt & Sunday River Ski Resorts

Contact: BRIAN SESSIONS



BARKER BROOK TOWNHOUSE, NEWRY \$259,000

- 2 Bedroom Plus Sleeping Loft
- Immaculate Condition - Like New
- Furnished
- Attached One Car Garage
- 1 Mile to Sunday River Base Lodges

Contact: MARGIE FINLEY



42 POWELL PLACE, HANOVER \$31,000

- 1 Bedroom/1 Bath
- 4 Season Recreation House
- 12 x 37 @ Campground
- Minutes to Sunday River
- 2004 Bayside

Contact: MARGIE FINLEY



BEAR RIVER RD, NEWRY \$299,000

- Bear River Waterfront Property
- 19.3 +/- Acres, 600 Feet Waterfront
- Development Potential
- Open Field for Pasture
- Minutes to Sunday River Ski & Golf

Contact: BRIAN SESSIONS



49 PARADISE RD, BETHEL \$279,000

- 4 Bedroom / 1 Full, 2-3/4 Baths
- .80 +/- Acres
- New England Style
- Recently Renovated
- Walking Distance to Bethel Village

Contact: MARGIE FINLEY



26 RABBIT ROAD, BETHEL \$85,000

- 14x60 2003 Titan Mobile Home
- 2 Bedroom/1 Bath
- Large Deck
- Furnished
- Alder River Frontage, Swimming/Fishing

Contact: CHERI THURSTON



78 ELM ST, ANDOVER \$165,000

- Andover Village Saltbox
- 3 Bedroom/2 Bath
- 2 +/- Open Acres
- Direct Access to ITS Trails
- Cathedral Ceilings

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20 TAYLOR WOODS, BETHEL \$369,000

- Newly Constructed Log Sided Home
- 4 Bedroom/3 1/2 Bath
- Finished Basement
- Open Floor Plan w/Cathedral Ceiling
- Gas Fireplace

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COBBLESTONE FARM VILLAGE

- Cobblestone Farm Road
- Minutes to Bethel Village
- ONE LOT REMAINING!
- Lot #3 1.05 Acres \$52,000
- Beautiful Mountain Views
- Lot #4 1.05 Acres PENDING
- Lot #5 1.28 Acres PENDING
- Lot #7 1.31 Acres PENDING
- Lot #8 1.04 Acres PENDING

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TAYLOR WOODS

- Deeded Access to the Androscoggin River
- Minutes to Sunday River Ski & Golf Resorts

#19 2.33 Acres \$57,900
#22 1.70 Acres \$53,900
#23 1.93 Acres \$58,900
#26 1.70 Acres \$53,900
#27 2.16 Acres \$75,900
#28 1.70 Acres \$65,900

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LAND

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- BEAR RIVER ROAD - NEWRY
- Waterfront - Bear River
- 1.24 +/- Acres \$299,900
- SUNDAY RIVER ROAD - NEWRY
- 1.24 +/- Acres \$395,000
- HOWE HILL ROAD - GREENWOOD
- 1.53 +/- Acres \$39,900
- BOBBY TOWN ROAD - ANDOVER
- 450 +/- Acres \$562,500
- SALINAS DRIVE #1 - NORWAY
- 1.6 +/- Acre Lot \$29,900
- ROUTE 2 - HANOVER
- 7 +/- Waterfront Acres \$94,500

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- MAYVILLE RD, RT2 - BETHEL
- 4 +/- Acre Lot \$249,000
- BEECH RIDGE LANE - WEST PARIS
- 5.2 +/- Acres \$35,000
- HOWE HILL ROAD - GREENWOOD
- 2.53 +/- Acres \$62,500

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- TYLER ST, BETHEL
- 2.11 +/- Acres \$129,000
- CHURCH ST, WOODSTOCK
- 50 +/- Acres \$149,000
- TYLER ST, BETHEL
- 1.37 +/- Acres \$85,000

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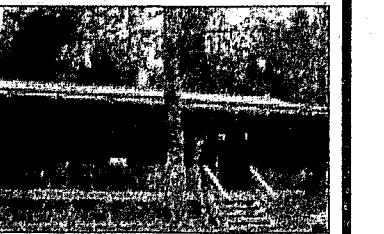
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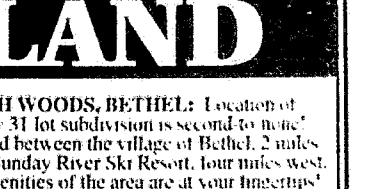
Brook Estates	
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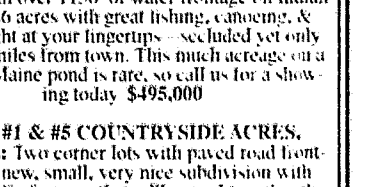
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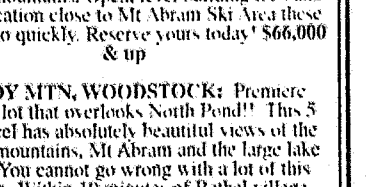
Oak Hill, Bryant Pond: Spectacular home, spectacular views, spectacular price! Quiet location perched high on a hill, with Lake Christopher & mtns spread out below. Custom-built brand-new home w/scoaring arch windows, fireplace, designer tiled floors. Kitchen cooking island, granite countertops, bedrooms w/french doors, solarium, radiant floor heating system & much more. Conveniently located in our lakes region, just off the main road leading to Bethel & ski resorts. This one HAS to be seen! \$329,000



POND, GREENWOOD: Large parcel of 160± acres in Greenwood, Indiana



ONEYFIELDS SUBDIVISION, NEWWOOD: If a beautiful view is what you're looking for, look no further! This brand new division boasts spectacular views of the mountains. Open, built build-ers, and



ER RIDGE, NEWRY: Two acre build-
on Keystone Drive in Powder Ridge
sion. Paved roads, beautiful mountain
just across the ridge from Sunday River
are all the right ingredients to make this
perfect setting for your future primary or
ond home. Call today! **\$79,900**

BIRCH WOODS, BETHEL: Location of this new 31 lot subdivision is second to none! Positioned between the village of Bethel, 2 miles east, and Sunday River Ski Resort, four miles west all the amenities of the area are at your fingertips! Shop or golf in town, kayak on the Androscoggin River, ski on the mountains of Sunday River or Mt. Abram, or head six miles south to the 6+ lakes and ponds just off Rte. 26. Extremely well planned large lots w/beautiful woods, underground utilities, paved roads and walking path make this a superior choice for your year-round or seasonal home.

\$70,900 and up

INDIAN POND, GREENWOOD: Large parcel of land with over 1150' of water frontage on Indian Pond!! 86 acres with great fishing, canoeing, & hiking right at your fingertips -- secluded yet only a couple miles from town. This much acreage on a Western Maine pond is rare, so call us for a showing today. **\$495,000**

LOTS #1 & #5 COUNTRYSIDE ACRES.
BETHEL. Two corner lots with paved road frontage in a new, small, very nice subdivision with many terrific features that will appeal to either the primary or seasonal home builder. Nice sandy soil & centrally located w/quick access to Bethel, ski areas, lakes and ponds. Ask for a showing today and we'll sell the possibility... **\$30,000 each.**

STONEWILDS SUBDIVISION,
GREENWOOD: If a beautiful view is what you're looking for, look no further! This brand new subdivision boasts spectacular views of the western mountains. Open, level building lots, and with a location close to Mt. Abram Ski Area these lots will go quickly. Reserve yours today! \$66,000 & up

MOODY MTN, WOODSTOCK: Premiere building lot that overlooks North Pond!! This 5 acre parcel has absolutely beautiful views of the western mountains, Mt Abram and the large lake below. You cannot go wrong with a lot of this splendor. Within 10 minutes of Bethel village.
\$125,000

POWDER RIDGE, NEWRY: Two acre building lot on Keystone Drive in Powder Ridge Subdivision. Paved roads, beautiful mountain views & just across the ridge from Sunday River Resort are all the right ingredients to make this spot the perfect setting for your future primary or second home. Call today! **\$79,900**

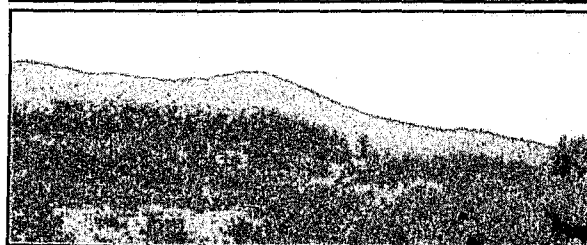
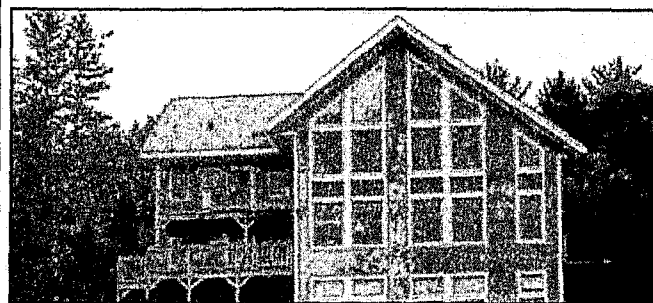
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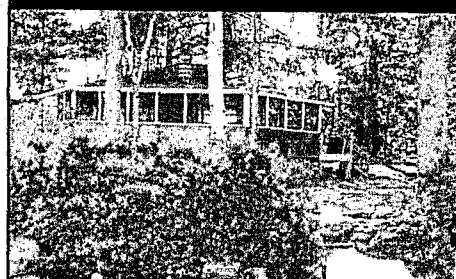
STUNNING SHINGLE STYLE HOME



Just minutes from Bethel, experience the unbelievable quality throughout this gorgeous family home. Combination great room / kitchen with granite fireplace, pantry, custom cabinets and state of the art appliances. Formal dining room with reproduction wainscoting. Bulls eye moldings surround top of the line windows that look out on the White Mountains and Androscoggin River Valley. All of this and you can canoe, kayak, and nordic ski from your door. \$675,000

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SALE PENDING!



BREEZY POINT - NORTH POND
Amazing panoramic views and 235' water frontage on North Pond will make time stand still at this charming New England cottage. The perfect place to relax, swim and soak up the tranquility. The perfect summer get-away awaits you! \$339,000

NEW LISTING!



SUNDAY RIVER SKI HOUSE
4 bedroom, 2 bath ski house in great location just minutes from the lodge, spacious and close to mountain explorer stop, ride to the lifts, renovated with lots of room for guests and equipment. \$299,000

NEW LISTING!



SUNSET HILL: SPECTACULAR VIEWS
The views and location at this property cannot be beat. Walk to town or the Androscoggin River for canoeing and kayaking. Also located just minutes from area golf courses and world-class ski areas. Lot #3 \$80,000

NEW LISTING!



INVITING DORMERED CAPE
Three bedroom, two bath dormered cape located close to town on a nice country lot. Sunny interior with southern exposure. Beautiful wood floors and lots of windows, well established perennial gardens, porch, attached garage. A great spot! \$239,000

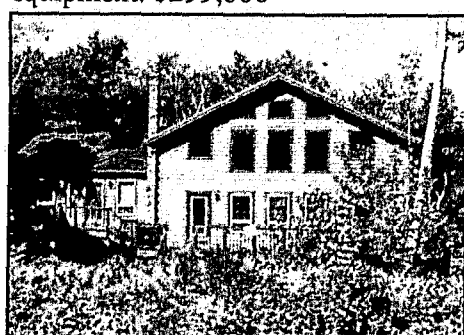
PRICE REDUCED!



PRESIDENTIAL MOUNTAIN VIEWS
Gaze at Mt. Washington, Mt. Abram, Old Speck and all the mountain peaks in between from every room in this home on a 5-acre lot. Don't let the exterior deceive you; this house is fabulous. Open concept living area, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 stone fireplaces, huge wrap around deck and fully finished walk out basement. \$339,000



GREAT ARCHITECTURAL DETAIL
Great Architecture, Hardwood Floors. Tin Ceilings, Stained Glass Windows, 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, Updated Heat and Electric, Large Fenced Backyard. 20 minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort. \$115,000



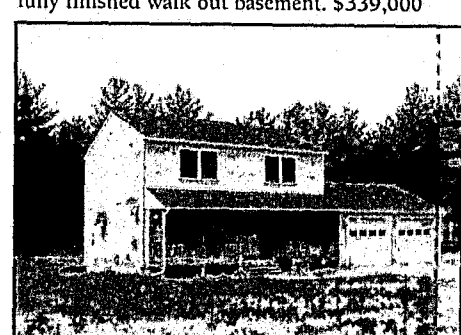
POWDER RIDGE HOME
Spacious 3 bedroom / 3 bath log home located on a private cul-de-sac at Powder Ridge. Open floor plan with cathedral ceiling and lots of glass to gaze at the ski resort. Furnished. \$525,000



NEWLY CONSTRUCTED CHALET
Spacious 3-bedroom / 2 bath home situated on 1.6 acres close to town and amenities. Open floorplan with natural light, cathedral ceilings, gas fireplace, deck, protective covenants and northern mountain views. \$234,900



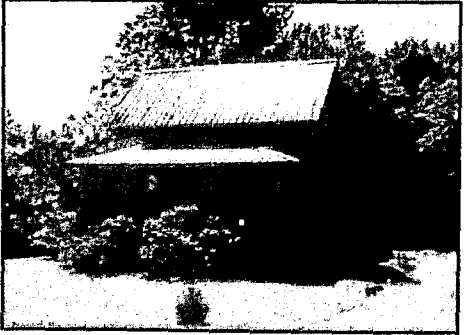
PRICE REDUCED
It's Paradise - minutes to Sunday River, walk to town and golf. Views. Hardwood floors, stainless appliances, open floor plan, mudroom, 4 beds, 3 baths, patio, deck. Wired home network. Barn to be finished by close designed for 2-cars, shop, & storage. \$369,000



RIVERFRONT HOME
4 BR, 2.5 BA Waterfront home with 310' river frontage boasts privacy and convenience, 10 min to Bethel village, 15 min to Sunday River. Screened porch allows extended enjoyment of beautiful, expansive backyard, 2 car attached garage. \$289,000



ANDROSCOGGIN RIVERFRONT
Purchase a lifestyle, not just a home. Year round home with beautiful frontage on the Androscoggin River. Fishing, canoeing, kayaking, hunting, boating, skiing, snowmobiling, etc. Centrally located near 3 ski resorts! A must see. \$159,900



VILLAGE HOME
3 bedroom, 2 bath home with great in-town location. Walk to everything, 1/8 mile from golf course and Mountain Explorer stop. 8 minutes to Sunday River or take the Mountain Explorer to the lifts. Well cared for, nice yard, quiet street. \$205,000



WELL-MAINTAINED, CLOSE TO TOWN
Special home located close to Bethel with many desirable features including beautiful hardwood floors, sun room, covered porch, bar or family room, beautifully landscaped grounds with irrigation system, hot tub and pool. Central air and much more. \$279,900



NEWLY CONSTRUCTED HOME
Awesome newly constructed home with beautiful mountain views located at Powder Ridge. Post and beam interior with tone fireplace, 9' ceilings, clear western red cedar siding, granite countertops, wood flooring and more! \$549,000



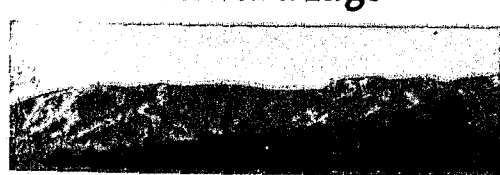
COMMERCIAL POTENTIAL
This historic building is located near Mt. Abram and Sunday River as well as many lakes and ponds. Great curb appeal and location. Being sold as is, will need heat source as well as septic and water upgrades. \$110,000

LAND

Land

Songo Pond Waterfront: 1.9 acres.....	\$289,000
Premier Powder Ridge: 4.45 acres.....	SOLD
Outstanding View Lot: 3.77 acres.....	\$199,000
North Pond Waterfront: 6.8 acres.....	\$150,000
Rare Newry Acreage: 10 acres.....	\$135,000
In-town Building Lot: .86 acres.....	\$115,000
Large Untracked Parcel: 43 acres.....	\$100,000
Wilson's Ripples Premier Lot: 1.94 acres.....	\$99,000
Large Scenic Lot: 40 acres.....	\$95,000
Red House Farm Village.....	\$95,000
Bethel Views: 7 acres.....	\$95,000
Grover Hill Road Views: 2 acres.....	\$89,000
In-town Building Lot: .74 acres.....	\$89,000
South Pond Shores: 5+ acres.....	\$86,000
Red House Farm Village.....	\$80,500
Androscoggin River Frontage: 6.2 acres.....	\$69,000
Wilson's Ripples: 4 acres.....	\$60,000
Grover Hill Road: 1.50 acres.....	\$47,900
North Road Views: 1.1 acres.....	\$47,000
Albany Building Lot: 1.36 acres.....	\$39,000
Hidden Acres Building Lot: 2.94 acres.....	\$22,500

Powder Ridge



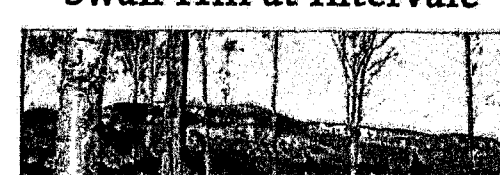
Lot 03: 1.18 acres.....	PENDING
Lot 12: 1.92 acres.....	\$69,900
Lot 15: 3.02 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 18: 1.70 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 26: 4.45 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 29: 1.81 acres.....	PENDING
Lot 31: 3.23 acres.....	\$200,000
Lot 37: 1.73 acres.....	\$69,000
Lot 42: 2.02 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 78: 1.64 acres.....	\$69,000
Lot 92: 1.13 acres.....	\$79,900
Lot 96: 2.76 acres.....	\$289,900

Mountain Valley



Lot 01: 2.62 acres.....	\$59,900
Lot 02: 2.38 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 03: 2.17 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 04: 2.51 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 05: 2.31 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 06: 1.31 acres.....	RESERVED
Lot 07: 1.27 acres.....	\$74,900
Lot 08: 2.19 acres.....	\$74,900
Lot 09: 1.09 acres.....	\$74,900
Lot 10: 1.47 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 11: 1.47 acres.....	\$89,900
Lot 12: 2.34 acres.....	\$79,900
Lot 13: 3.77 acres.....	RESERVED
Lot 14: 1.99 acres.....	\$59,900

Swan Hill at Intervale



Lot 01: 2.00 acres.....	SOLD
Lot 02: 2.66 acres.....	\$72,900
Lot 03: 2.91 acres.....	\$72,900
Lot 04: 1.76 acres.....	\$65,900
Lot 05: 1.77 acres.....	\$89,900
Lot 06: 2.01 acres.....	\$78,900
Lot 07: 1.53 acres.....	\$85,900
Lot 08: 2.52 acres.....	\$85,900
Lot 09: 1.41 acres.....	\$85,900
Lot 10: 1.65 acres.....	\$85,900
Lot 11: 2.22 acres.....	\$85,900
Lot 12: 1.58 acres.....	\$69,900
Lot 13: 2.50 acres.....	\$79,900
Lot 14: 2.59 acres.....	\$79,900

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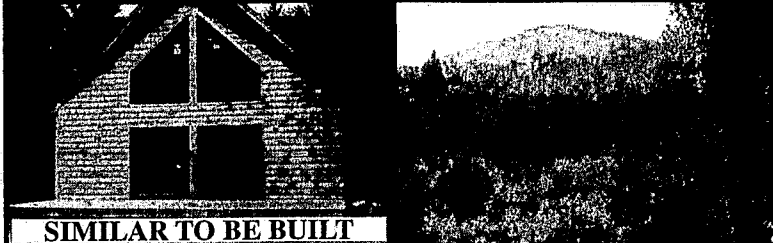
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New Listing - Will View Spec House on Lot #14: A Spectacular 3-4 Bedroom Chalet has been designed with all the warmth and spaciousness a ski-vacation home should feature...A massive Great Room with an abundance of windows, sliders and all important outdoor deck with custom seating area. Two Plus Baths, ever so close proximity to Sunday River, area restaurants and shuttle bus. **CALL FOR DETAILS**

NEW LISTING!



New Listing - Bear Lane, Greenwood: What An Exceptional Offering... This Newly Constructed Spectacular Log Sided Chalet is Situated On Beautifully Manicured, Professionally Landscaped Grounds And Boasts A Private Backyard Area And Deeded Ski-in/Ski-out Access To Mt. Abram trails!!! The home has many nice features including rich wood interior ceilings and walls, Great Room with cathedral ceiling, fireplace, and an abundance of glass including sliding patio doors, spacious kitchen with custom island, adjoining dining area, first floor master bedroom suite complete with large walk-in closet and private bath showcasing a whirlpool tub & shower, and an additional first floor bedroom and bath. The cozy upper level loft provides expansion possibilities for a third bedroom, family room or office area and potential third bath. Offering Scenic mountain vista views from the large wraparound deck, and within close proximity to two area ski resorts and many local lakes and ponds, this home provides plenty of opportunities for year round use and enjoyment. An outstanding package!!! \$369,000

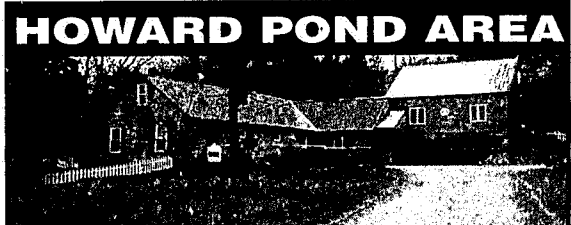
NEW LISTING!



NEW LISTING: Don't miss out on this spectacular Powder Ridge Townhouse End Unit with unsurpassed slope views of Sunday River Ski Resort and large wraparound deck for year round enjoyment. The Spacious Interior offers an open concept first floor plan with a fully appointed kitchen boasting a convenient horseshoe design, adjoining dining area, living room with lots of glass, including patio doors, cathedral ceiling and beautiful stone fireplace. The second level boasts a large master bedroom, second bedroom and shared bath & A finished daylight lower level includes a private den and family room with Vermont Castings Stove. Fully furnished and only minutes to some of the best skiing in the East, and the all new Sunday River Golf Club; **What More Could You Want In A Vacation Home?!! \$305,000**

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HOWARD POND AREA
New Listing - Howard Pond Road, Hanover: This Historic Yet Totally Renovated Cape offers an abundance of Charm throughout its beautiful spacious interior and scenic manicured grounds. Extras include a multitude of decks, white picket fences, handpainted murals and is only 10 MINUTES FROM SUNDAY RIVER SKI RESORT!! All this for only \$179,000!!!

NEW SCENIC PARCELS!
A BREATHTAKINGLY SERENE & UNSPOILED SETTING...Located in the heart of a very popular area known for unparalleled east coast skiing, 2 championship 18 hole golf courses and with close proximity to a multitude of crystal clear lakes, waterways, hiking & climbing trails as well as quintessential town & Village areas... The Preserve at Puzzle Mountain consists of five generously proportioned parcels, one of which consists of 50 acres; the remaining four offering over 100 acres, none of which shall be further subdivided. Panoramic Western views abound showcasing Sunday River Ski Resort, The Baldpates, Old Spec, Grafton Notch & Sunday River White Cap. **THE PARCELS AT THE PRESERVE AT PUZZLE MOUNTAIN AFFORD YOU, YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS PRECIOUS PRIVACY & SOUL SATISFYING SERENITY OF YESTERYEAR FOR DECADES TO COME!!!**



NEW PRICE!
Barker Brook #5: Neighboring Sunday River Ski Resort in a scenic, private setting, these elegant townhomes offer approximately 1,400 square feet of living space. Nestled in the woods amidst a total of seven dwellings, this spectacular home offers a vaulted Great Room with cozy wood burning fireplace and glass patio doors, Two Bedrooms PLUS Loft, Two Baths, Washer/Dryer and Garage. A newly customized property with all new First Floor interior masterfully constructed by a well-known developer, you will find the condition and décor of this Townhouse to be breathtaking! Come Live In This Charming Community! \$259,000

NEW LISTING!

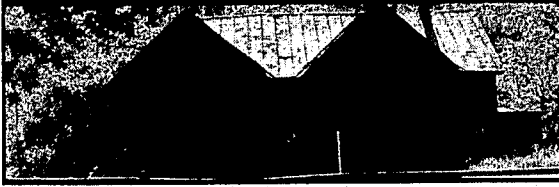


New Listing - Andover: This Nicely Maintained 3 BR Ranch Style Home is Situated On A Well Manicured Lot In Andover. Spacious open floor plan with large living/family room, adjoining eat-in kitchen and sun filled dining area with sliding glass doors leading to second story deck. Master bedroom suite with private bath and an additional bedroom and full bath complete the first floor. Partially Finished Daylight Basement, 1 Car Garage, tons of storage space, lovely landscaping, private backyard area, mountain views and many other nice features make this home a must see! Within driving distance to Sunday River Ski Resort and only minutes to local snowmobile trails, ponds and great swimming holes; this property would make a great primary home or vacation getaway. Offered at an exceptional price of \$169,000



INTERVALE ROAD, BETHEL
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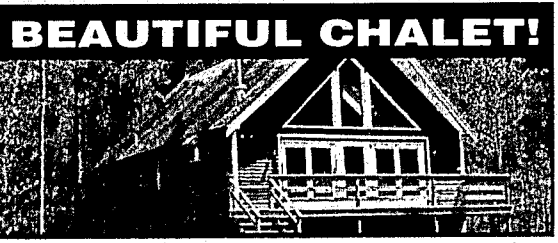
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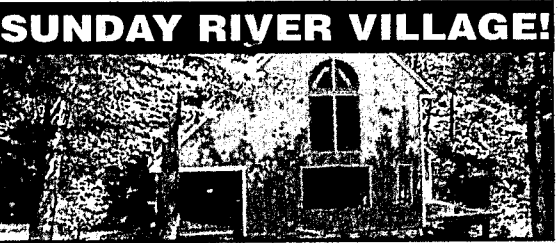
New Listing: 86 South Main St, Woodstock: Affordable 4 Bedroom starter home, Awaiting Some Tender Loving Care, is located only 10 minutes from Mt. Abram and within close proximity to Sunday River Ski Resort. Features including walking distance to Bryant Pond Village amenities and public boat access to Lake Christopher make this home an attractive location for a primary, vacation, retirement, or rental property. Attached 3 story barn allows for off street parking, plentiful storage or expansion possibilities. Priced To Sell at \$72,500



FARMERS HILL ROAD, ANDOVER
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BEAUTIFUL CHALET!
Intervale Road, Bethel: A Jewel of a Home, compact yet spacious, on an easily accessible yet private setting offered at an oh-so-affordable price...Picture a striking Great Room w/an expanse of glass from flr to ceiling, allowing sunlight to flood its open living area. Add to this a Vermont Castings gas stove on a cobblestone hearth & you've the ideal retreat to call home. 2 first flr BRs, Full Bath w/ Laundry & 2nd flr master suite w/add'l Full Bath & ext balcony. A lg daylight Bsmnt offers expansion possibilities. OFHA heating, skylights, decks & partial furnishing list. Sit'd on a 1.9+/- acre parcel replete w/babbling brook & mt views. \$229,000



SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE!
Slopeside Home - Sunday River Village, Newry: This 4-Story P&B Home is sit'd in the most coveted of Villages at SR Ski Resort. Close to ski trails & amen in a well est'd subdiv on a 1+/- acre. You'll marvel at its open flr pl showcasing impressive p&b work, inventive window treatments, parquet flg & professional craftsmanship. Showcasing a GR w/adj DK, 2nd stry balcony, 5 BRs, lg upper lvl Loft Area, 3 Baths, Game Rm, Hot Tub, Sauna, Deck, Porch, Nooks & Crannies. The Ultimate in Accommodations Awaits! \$599,000

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CLOSE TO BETHEL VILLAGE!
New Listing - Bailey Road, Bethel: Nestled In An Exceptionally Charming, Sought After Neighborhood Only 1+/- Mile from Bethel Village, discover this spacious and open contemporary. Offering a spectacular combination of rich pine-paneled walls and cathedral ceilings, dispensed with an abundance of sliding glass doors and windows, its ample interior welcomes the largest of gatherings. Quality construction is showcased throughout its Great Room with adjoining Deck, Entry Area, 2 Bedrooms, Family Room/3rd Bedroom, 2 Baths, Second level Deck and Full Daylight Basement. Situated on a level, grassy 2+/- acre lot. Let It's Eye-Catching Attributes Constitute Your Next Home! \$245,000

NEW VILLAGE SUBDIVISION!
NEW LISTINGS - PARADISE ROAD, BETHEL: Beautiful New Subdivision located in a highly sought after location on the coveted Paradise Road! Premium lots, wooded with pine and birch, located in a quiet, sought after locale on coveted Paradise Road. Mountain views, within close proximity to Historic Bethel Village, Sunday River and Mt. Abram Ski Resorts, two lush 18-hole Championship golf courses, 15 dazzling lakes and rivers, and so much, much more!! Isn't this the perfect location for your primary or vacation home situated in the Western Mountains of Maine?? Lot #1, 1.13 +/- acres \$62,900; Lot #2 1.03 +/- acres \$50,490; Lot #3 1.26 +/- acres \$53,790; Lot #4 1.24 +/- acres \$54,890; Lot #5 1.36 +/- acres \$60,390; Lot #6 1.32 +/- acres \$50,490; Lot #7 1.1 +/- acres \$58,190; Lot #8 1.56 +/- acres \$60,380; Lot #9 1.45 +/- acres \$65,690



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Pleasant Valley Acres: An Immaculately Maintained Home is found on a quiet corner lot in this "pleasant" subdivision. Lush green landscaping, pretty perennials and a private backyard area only enhance this setting. Constructed in 1980, this year-round home has been lovingly owned by one family and is in remarkable condition. Living Room, Eat-In Kitchen, 3 Bedrooms. Finished lower level. Family Room, storage area, economical heating systems, detached shed. Priced To Sell At \$152,900!

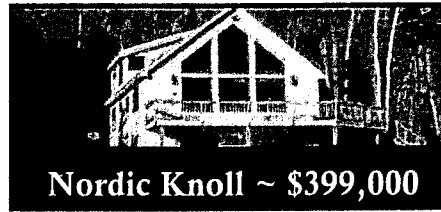
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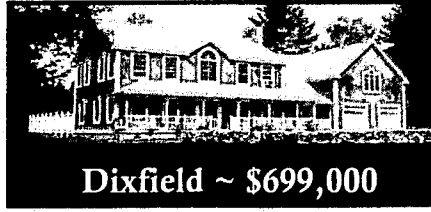


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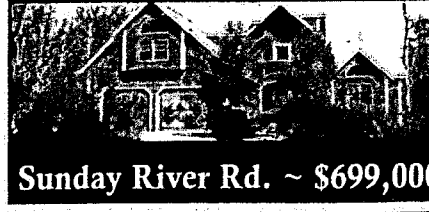


Nordic Knoll ~ \$399,000



Dixfield ~ \$699,000

NEW LISTINGS
FLAHERTY LANE
GREENWOOD
Lots 6 & 8 ~ \$30,000 each



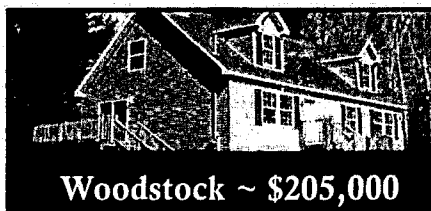
Sunday River Rd. ~ \$699,000



Andover ~ \$229,000



Bethel ~ \$189,000

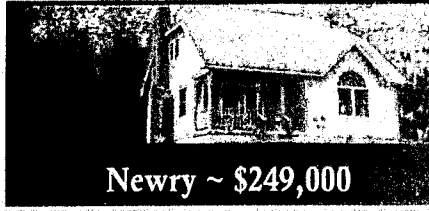


Woodstock ~ \$205,000

NEW LISTINGS
SUNDAY RIVER RD
Lot A 5 +/- Acres \$125,000
Lot B 5 +/- Acres \$150,000



Bethel ~ \$319,900



Newry ~ \$249,000

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BROOKSIDE BUILDING I			FALL LINE			N-209			144-C			284/286-A		
I-A-106	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	A-127	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	W-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$116,000	B-2	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$229,000	260/262-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$38,000
I-B-407	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	N-209	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$118,900	N-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900	B-6	3 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	\$334,900	120/122-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$41,000
BROOKSIDE BUILDING II			W-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900	E-206	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900	D-5	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	289/291-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$43,000
II-A-213	Studio/1 Bath	\$89,900	N-111	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900	W-210	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	124/126-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$49,000	289/291-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$43,000
II-A-115	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900	W-104	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	W-104	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	243/245-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900	265/267-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
II-A-306	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$139,900	E-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	S-106	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	209/211-B	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900	325/327-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
II-B-314	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$139,900	MERRILL BROOK			III-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$185,000	125/127-A	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900	AREA TOWNHOMES:		
II-A-208	Studio/1 Bath	PENDING	I-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$199,900	I-306	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$212,900	156-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$46,000	BARKER BROOK		
II-A-105	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	PENDING	I-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	III-301	2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	162/164-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$62,500	#5		
CASCADES			WHITE CAP			JORDAN GRAND QUARTERSHARE			GRAND SUMMIT QUARTERSHARE			BETHEL INN TOWNHOMES		
B-16	Studio/1 Bath	\$89,900	B-214	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$129,900	128-A	Studio/1 Bath	\$17,900	309-D	Studio/1 Bath	\$13,500	#514/515		
B-18	Studio/1 Bath	\$89,900	B-212/213	3 BR/2 Bath Custom	SOLD	155-D	Studio/1 Bath	\$22,500	121-A	Studio/1 Bath	\$13,000	#568/569		
A-6	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	A-305	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	139-C	Studio/1 Bath	\$26,000	115-D	Studio/1 Bath	\$13,900	#536/537		
A-4	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	LOCKE MOUNTAIN			161-A	Studio/1 Bath	\$28,900	105-C	Studio/1 Bath	\$18,000	EDEN RIDGE CONDOMINIUMS		
D-3	4 Bdrm/3 1/2 Bath	SOLD				163-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$36,500	250-C	Studio/1 Bath	\$18,500	#5-E		
						163-B	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$36,500	373-A	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$31,500	RIVERBEND		
						163-C	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$36,500	188/190-C	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$33,500	#4		
						163-D	1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$36,500	227/229-D	2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$38,000	#14		

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Obituaries

LEWIS R. CURTIS

Lewis R. Curtis passed away at his home in Indianapolis, Ind., on June 4, 2005.

He was born in West Paris on May 7, 1928, the son of Carroll and Leona Curtis of East Bethel.

Lewis attended Bethel schools and Gould Academy. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean Conflict.

He is survived by his wife, Karen; four sons, Richard, Jonathan, Christopher and Timothy; one daughter, Katrinka; one sister, Gertrude Whitman. He was predeceased by his parents; a sister, Gail Scribner; a brother, Robert; a daughter, Kendra; and a son, Alan.

Funeral services were held at Speedway Chapel of the Conkle Funeral Home on June 7, 2005 with Richard Curtis officiating. Contributions in his memory may be made to the American Cancer Society.

RUTH M. MACARTHUR

Ruth M. MacArthur, 74, of Englewood, Fla., passed away June 28, 2005.

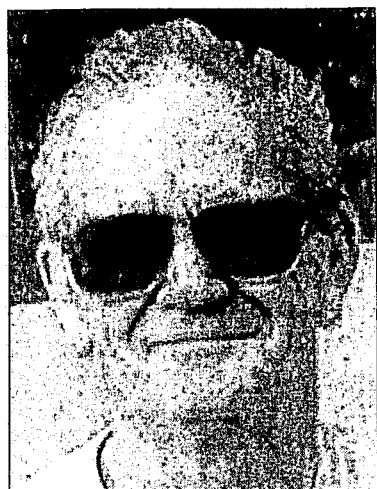
She was born April 29, 1931 in Bethel and moved to Englewood 17 years ago from Allentown, N.H.

Mrs. MacArthur was a homemaker and a member of the Grace Fellowship Church in Englewood.

Survivors include her daughters, Dena Coughlin and her husband Bob Hunter of Manchester, N.H.; Deanne McNamara and her husband Jeff of Allentown, N.H.; sons, Daryl MacArthur and his wife Cindy of Englewood, Fla.; David MacArthur and his wife Alice of New Bern, N.C.; a brother, Robert Hutchinson and his wife Bonnie of North Carolina; seven grandchil-

dren; and three great-grandchildren.

Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of S.W. Florida, 5955 Rand Blvd., Sarasota, FL 34238.



HUGH L. MORTON

Hugh LaForest Morton, 65, of Roxbury, died Tuesday, June 28, 2005, surrounded by his loving family.

He was born June 8, 1940, in Andover, the son of Eldwin and Dora Hutchins Morton.

Hugh attended Andover schools and graduated from Andover High School in the Class of 1959, and served in the U.S. Army from 1962 to 1968.

He married Kathleen Palmer on Dec. 6, 1967 in Portland.

Hugh had been employed from 1974 until his retirement in 2000 from Mead Paper Company in Rumford from the rewinder department as a machine operator.

He was a dedicated family man who doted on his wife, children and grandchildren. He loved nature and animals. He was often seen with a cat or two in his lap. He enjoyed living in Roxbury where he could feed the deer and

hummingbirds, garden and restore his 1956 Ford pickup. He especially loved the times that he spent with his brother, Wayne.

He is fondly remembered by his wife, Kathleen, of 37 years; three daughters, Kathy Tuttle and her husband Alex of Stratton, Sharon Dudley and her husband Dana of Phillips, and Susan Graham and her companion Rich Gay of Mexico; five stepsons, Arthur Cole, Jr. and his wife Jeanne and James Cole, Sr. and his wife Brenda, all of Rumford, Elmer "Pete" Cole and his wife Jean of East Andover, Earl Cole, Sr. and his wife Carmen and Raymond Cole and his wife Shirley, all of Standish; four brothers, Wayne and his wife Marilyn of East Andover, Otis and his wife Carol, Owen and his wife Virginia and Hanson and his wife Elaine, all of Andover; and a sister, Priscilla Hodgkins and her husband Bryant of Roxbury.

"Papa" will be dearly missed by his grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by a granddaughter, Sandra Cole; and a brother, George Morton.

Graveside services were held Sunday, July 3, at the Woodlawn Cemetery, Andover, with the Rev. Linda Kimball officiating. Those who desire, in lieu of flowers, please contribute to the Beals Hospitality House, 1 V.A. Drive, Togus, ME 04333 in his memory. Online condolences and memories may be shared at meaderfh@ghi.net.

DIANE M. LESCAULT

Diane M. Lescault, 47, of Market Square, South Paris, died Tuesday, June 28, 2005 at Stephens Memorial Hospital after a long illness, with family and friends by her side.

Card of Thanks

On behalf of my family, the family of Gerald Johnson, we would like to take the time to thank you for the continued support during this life changing situation. Dad has kept his spirits up and I know he could not have done it with out all of his friends and family. We have a long road ahead of us but together we know he is going to get through it. Tom and Harold, you guys mean the world to him. Your visits may not seem like a big deal, but he appreciates the time you spend with him and the family appreciates having you there. Jeter loves the visits. ha ha.

Uncle Roger, Uncle Chuck, Rich, Sean, Jacob, Harold, Neil and my husband, Ray - thank you for the awesome ramp you guys built. It is amazing how a life can change in a matter of a week and then you have family and friends right there making it a whole lot easier to deal with. Ray, thank you for taking care of Jeter and Mom and Dads house and making sure Jacob and Jenny are where they need to be. Jacob and Jenny, Bampa loves you, you are the light in his eyes, you mean the world to him. Thank you for understanding and being patient while I am gone. And last but not least, Thank you to all of the family and friends stopping in to visit at the hospital and calling to check on Dad. We appreciate you all!

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She was born in Pawtucket, R.I., on May 2, 1958, daughter of the late Frank and Claire Palin Cinq-mars Carr and Earl Carr. She graduated from Attle High School in the top 10 of her class.

She was a wonderful writer of poetry, loved to play guitar in her day, and was an inspiration to all who visited and cared for her just by her smile and wit. Her faith in God helped her accept her illness, and He carried her through these long years. Daily attention was given to her by her best friend, Ellie Mains, and all the wonderful caregivers at the nursing home made her days there as pleasant as possible.

She is survived by her husband, Mark Sr., of Industry; her son, Mark Jr., of West Paris; a brother, Thomas Carr of Arizona; cousins, Mrs. Ronald (Janice) Baker and Mrs. Ronald (Maureen) Thompson; several aunts, uncles and cousins; and her personal friend, Ellie Mains.

A Memorial Mass was held at St. Catherine of Sienna Church, Norway, on Wednesday, July 6. Remembrance donations can be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation, P.O. Box 8730, Portland, ME 04101.

ALEXANDER F. SMITH

Dr. Alexander Frothingham "Sandy" Smith of Wayne died peacefully but suddenly in the home of his daughter, Deborah Large, on Thursday, June 30, 2005 at the age of 86.

Sandy was born in Springfield, Mass., on June 14, 1919, the son of Raymond and Louise (McClellan) Smith. A graduate of Williams College, he worked two summers at Androscoggin Boys Camp in Wayne, where he met his soon-to-be wife after walking too close to her house one summer's eve. During WWII he was a Second Lieutenant in the Army stationed in England working on the develop-

ment of early radar systems, in a world where minutes of advantage saved countless lives. Following the war he began a distinguished teaching career, starting as a public school teacher and then spending most of his years as a Professor of Psychology at Southern Connecticut State University.

In the late 1980s he and his wife retired to Wayne. In their marriage they traveled all over the world, mountain climbing and camping on five continents, including climbing Mount Kilimanjaro at age 65. They also trekked in the Annapurna Range in Nepal, walked on the Great Wall of China, and hiked the Milford Track in New Zealand at 70. At 75, he still made his annual hike on his favorite mountain, into Chimney Pond on Mount Katahdin. He was an active Eagle Scout, a 70-year Ham Operator (W1JW), and a devoted Red Sox fan who was more than thrilled that he got to see them finally win the World Series.

His greatest joys were being with his wife and his family enjoying wonderful meals and exciting conversations with friends old and new.

Sandy was known for his gentle, warm and loving nature, and his wonderful one-liners. He lived his life quietly with honor and dignity, setting a great example for his children, grandchildren and others. A beloved father, husband, papa and grandpapa, he will be missed dearly by those who knew him.

He was predeceased by Jean Burr Smith, his beloved wife of 57 years.

He is survived by son Jonathan and his wife Liz and children Simon and Anneliese of Bethel; daughter Dr. Judith Lucarelli and her husband John and their daughter Omm of Frankfort, Ky.; a son, David and his wife Karen and their children Fiori, Alex and Ian of Cary, N.C.; and a daughter, Deborah Large and her husband Gordon and their children Cassandra, Aaron and Tyler of Mount Vernon; and several nieces, nephews.

A memorial service was held at noon on Sunday, July 3, at the Wayne Community Church with Rev. Kyung-hee Sa officiating.

BERNICE "BUNNY" SWAIN

Bernice "Bunny" Swain, formerly of Bethel, passed away July 1, 2005, at her summer home in Swanton, Vt. She was born on Aug. 7, 1926, in Errol, N.H.

She is survived by her loving husband, Roscoe (Rocky). On July 21 they would have celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary.

She is also survived by three daughters, Charlene and husband Leonard Maginnis of Lawrence, Mass.; Diane and husband Jim Todd of West Paris, and Leah and husband George Desmet of Merrimack, Mass.; one brother, Otis Evans and wife Grace; seven grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

At her request there were no services. The family would like to thank Hospice & Home Health Services for all their care and support. Donations can be made in her memory to Franklin County Homehealth/Hospice, 3 Homehealth Circle Street, Albans, VT 05478.



SARAH D. ROUNDTREE

Sarah D. Roundtree, 75, of Fulton, N.Y., died Wednesday, June 29, 2005 at Loretto in Syracuse, N.Y. She had been a resident of Fulton since 1989.

Sarah had received her master's degree in elementary education from Hofstra University in Hempstead, N.Y.

She had retired from Education Opportunity Center working in both the Syracuse and Farmingdale areas. Sarah had previously taught at Franklin Square.

She was predeceased by her husband, Robert R. Roundtree, Jr. who died in 1994.

Survivors include a daughter, Renee Roundtree of Davenport Center; two sons, Robert R. Roundtree, III of Rochester, and Scott Roundtree of Hawaii; a sister, Ruth Porter of Lynbrook; and three grandchildren.

Graveside services will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Monday, July 11, at the Hanover Cemetery, Hanover, with Pastor R. Kelly Harvell officiating. Online condolences and memories may be shared at meaderfh@ghi.net

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